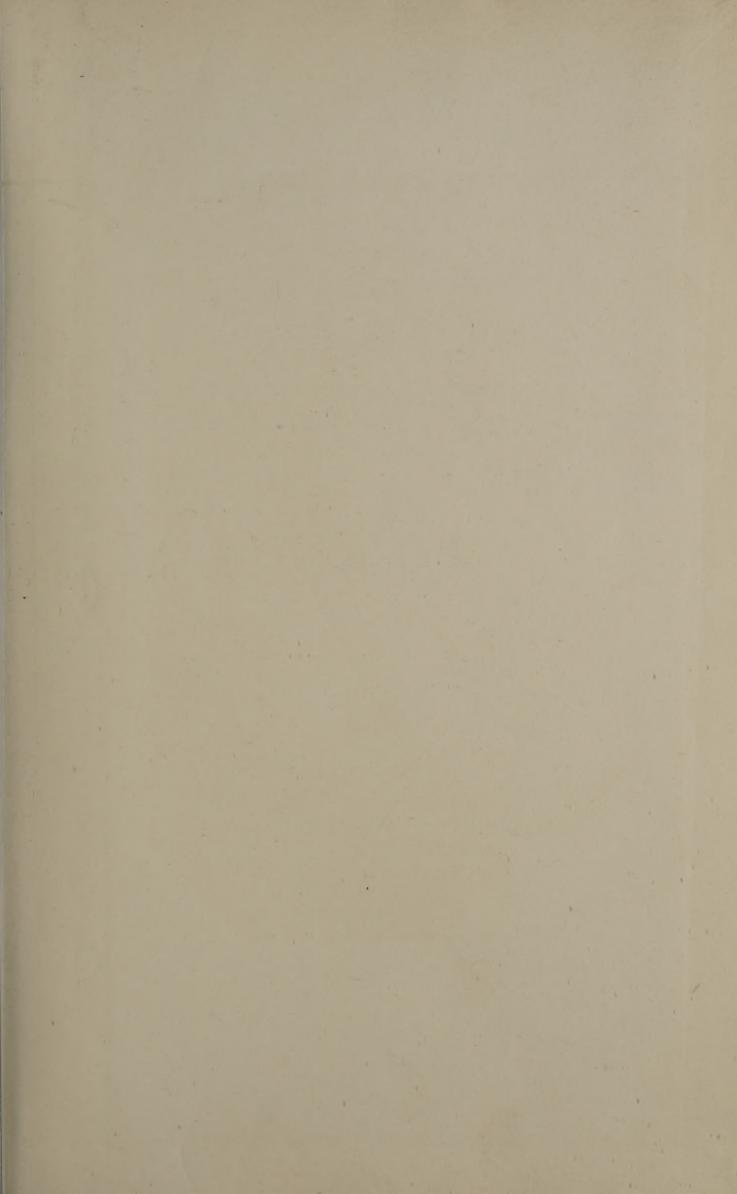




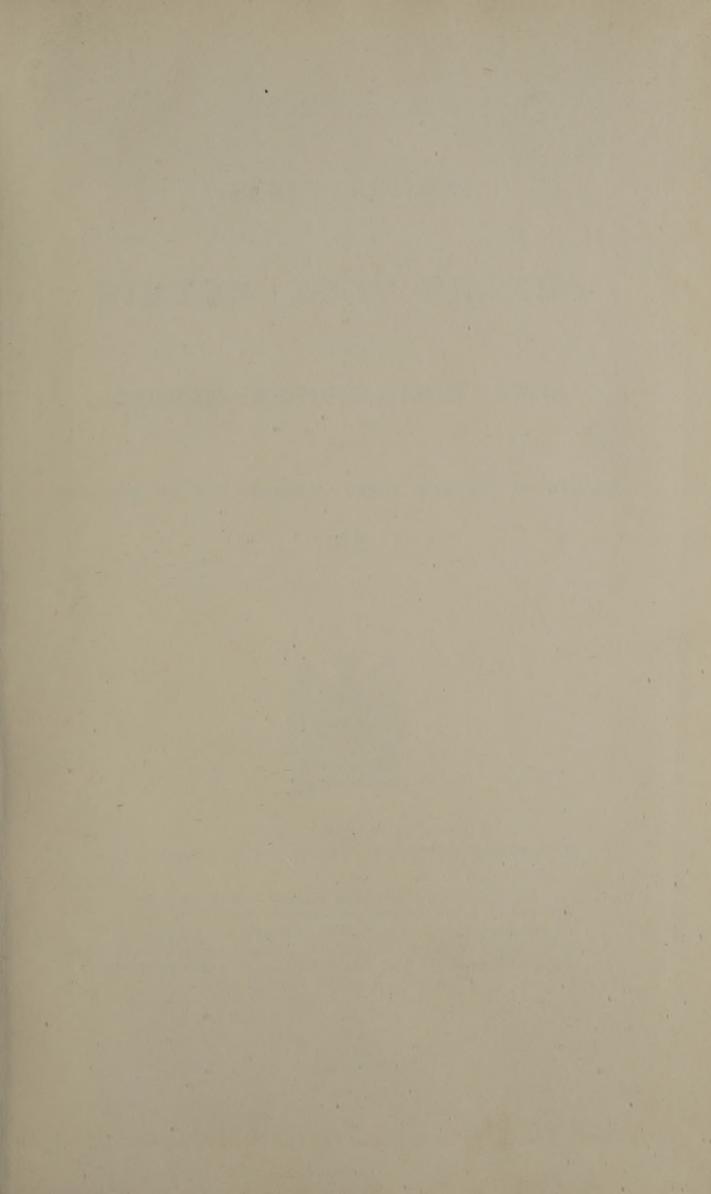
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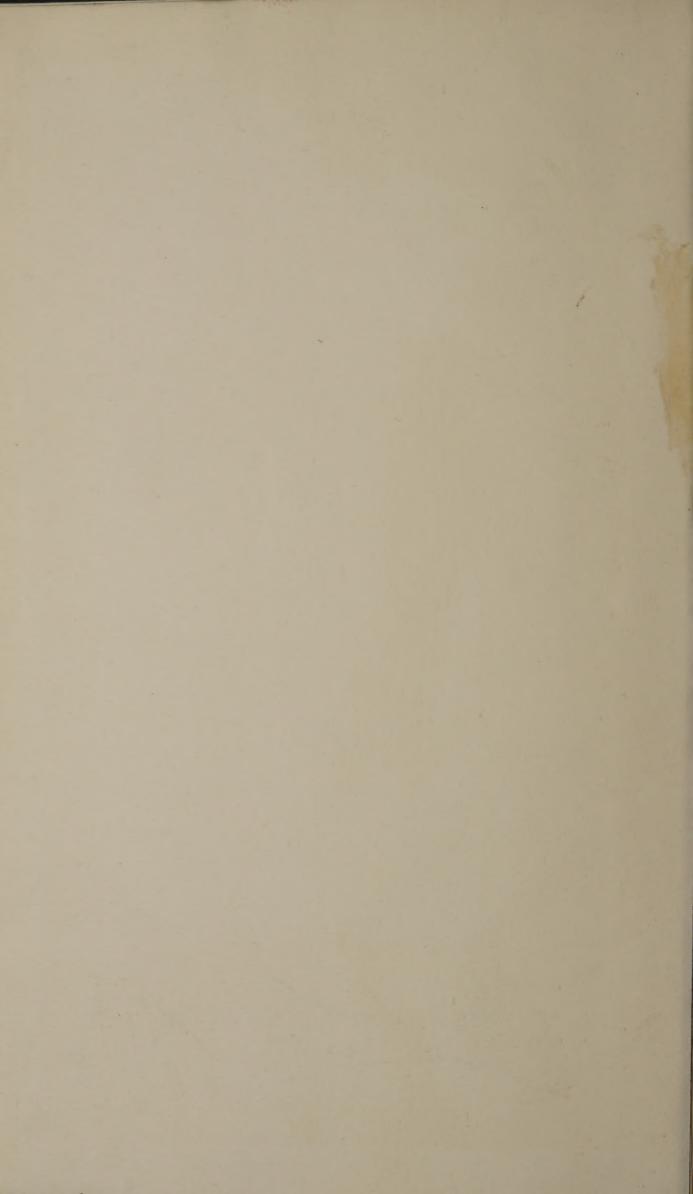
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1918.

The number of Births in the Dublin Registration Area during the year 1918 (52 weeks), exclusive of those occurring in institutions of infants (715) whose mothers were admitted from outside localities, was 9,008, or 22 6 per 1,000 of the estimated

population of the Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown.

The results of the correction for births in Dublin Institutions, above outlined, are shown in detail in Table V., which also shows the infant mortality rate for the several districts comprised within the Registration Area, based on the corrected births and deaths.

Of the 9,008 births, 7,320 belonged to the city, affording a rate of 24 0 per 1,000 of the estimated population, and 1,688 to the urban districts named above, equivalent to 18.0 per 1,000.

The total births registered during the year amounted to 9,723 (4,923 boys and 4,800 girls), and represented a rate of 24.4 per 1,000 of the population, as against an average rate for the preceding ten years of 27 2 per 1,000 of the mean population

of these years.

Of the 9,723 births, 2,315 were registered during the first quarter, 2,564 in

In London the number of births registered during the year 1918 (52 weeks) was 70,796, being equal to a rate of 15.8 in every 1,000 of the estimated population; in Glasgow the number was 23,648, equal to 21.2 per 1,000; and in Edinburgh it was 5,194, or 15 6 per 1,000 of the population.

DEATHS.—The number of deaths appertaining to the Dublin Registration Area, during the year 1918 was 9,397; this number is equal to 23 6 per 1,000 of the population of the Area, estimated to the middle of the year 1917. The average death-rate for the 10 years, 1908-17, was 20.6 per 1,000. Thus the rate for last year is 3 0 above the average—an increase equivalent to 14 6 per cent.

The total number of deaths registered during the year, namely, 10,202 (5,027) males and 5,175 females), including the deaths of 805 persons from localities outside the Area, is equal to 25 6 per 1,000 of the estimated population. The average rate for all the deaths registered during the preceding 10 years was 22.0 per 1,000.

The rate for the city of Dublin was 25.0 per 1,000 (24.5 on the North side, and 25.5 on the South), and for the suburbs 18.9 per 1,000. The rates for the several districts range from 13.0 for Finglas and Glasnevin, part of, to 30.4 for the district of North City No. 1 East.

Of the 10,202 deaths in the entire Area, 2,206 were registered during the first quarter of the year, 2,149 in the second, 2,133 in the third, and 3,714 in the fourth,

the weekly average being 196.

In the eighteen provincial Urban Districts, for which statistics are given in the Weekly Returns, the respective death-rates are as follow, ranging from the lowest to the highest :- Galway, 15 4 per 1,000 of the population*; Sligo, 15 9; Dundalk, 18 1; Drogheda, 18 2; Tralee, 18 4; Ballymena, 18 5; Clonmel, 18 6; Lisburn, 19 5; Waterford, 19 7; Cork, 20 5; Limerick, 20 6; Wexford, 21 2; Portadown, 21 7; Lurgan, 21 8; Belfast, 22 7; Kilkenny, 22 8; Londonderry, 23 0, and Newry, 24 1.

The number of deaths among civilians in London during the year 1918 (52 weeks) was 74,623, being equal to a rate of 18.7 in every 1,000 of the estimated civil population; in Glasgow, the total deaths numbered 18,322, being equal to 16.4 per 1,000 of the estimated total population; and in Edinburgh, 5,075, or 15.2 in

every 1,000.

Public Institutions.—Of the 10,202 deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area last year, 4,247, or 41 6 per cent., occurred in public institutions, viz.:—2,733 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums; and 1,514 in Workhouses, including 37 (those of persons admitted from the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

DISEASES.

Dublin Registration Area.—(See Tables IV. and V.)—The records of last year show that the total number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* registered in the Dublin Registration Area was 707. This number is equal to a rate of 1.77 per 1,000 of the estimated population.

Enteric Fever.—With the exception of the number recorded during the year 1917, viz., 23, the number of deaths (29) from enteric fever registered during the year (52 weeks) ended 28th December last, is lower than that for any of the preceding

ten years, the annual average for which is 53.

Of the 29 deaths, 11 appertained to North City districts, 12 to South City districts, 2 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, one to Kingstown, and there were 3 deaths in institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area.

In Dublin hospitals during the year, 153 cases of this disease were treated, and of these cases, 122 were discharged, 20 died, and 11 remained under treatment at

the close of the year.

TYPHUS.—There was no mortality from this cause, but six cases were admitted to hospital during the period, all of which were discharged.

SMALL-POX -No case of this disease was reported.

Measles.—Deaths from measles numbered 98, affording a rate of 0.25 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with an average of 163 and a rate of 0.41 per 1,000 for the 10 years, 1908-17, the yearly number of deaths during that period varying from 386 in 1914 (53 weeks) to 20 in 1910 (52 weeks).

For North City districts, 34 deaths were recorded, for South City districts, 56; for Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, 4; for Blackrock, one; and for Kings-

town, 2 deaths.

The number of cases of the disease under treatment in Dublin hospitals amounted to 506, of which 468 were discharged, 35 died, and 3 remained under treatment at the end of the year.

SCARLET FEVER.—The number of deaths from scarlet fever was 19, which, although 12 above the low number recorded in the preceding year, is only half the average (38) for the preceding ten years, during which the highest number was registered in 1911, viz., 77, the lowest number registered being 7 in 1917.

Four of the 19 deaths appertained to North City districts, 8 to South City districts, one to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, and 6 were those of persons

admitted to institutions from without the Registration Area.

The cases of the disease under treatment in Dublin hospitals numbered 514, and of these 444 were discharged, 18 died, and 52† remained under treatment at the close of the year.

Whooping-cough.—The deaths from this disease numbered 195, equivalent to 0.49 per 1,000 of the population, as against an average of 113, representing a rate of 0.28 for the ten years, 1908-17, the numbers for this period varying from 59 in 1914 to 183 in 1911. The number of deaths from whooping-cough in 1918 is therefore higher than that for any of the preceding ten years.

Of the 195 deaths, 103 appertained to North City districts, 67 to South City districts, 11 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, 5 to Pembroke, 4 to Blackrock, one to Kingstown, and 4 were those of persons admitted to institutions from

localities situated outside the Registration Area.

An examination of Table V. shows that the highest number of deaths from whooping-cough related to the following districts:—North City No. 1, West, with 44 deaths, South City No. 1, with 25 deaths, and North City No. 1 East, with 23

^{*} Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery and diarrhoal diseases.

[†] See Note (*) at foot of Table I.

deaths. There were no deaths from this disease in either Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of), or Finglas and Glasnevin (part of), and only one death in Kingstown urban district.

DIPHTHERIA.—This disease caused 38 deaths, being slightly above the numbers for the two preceding years, viz., 35 and 36, respectively, but 31 under the average (69) for the ten years, 1908-17.

Of the 38 deaths, 13 appertained to North City districts, 12 to South City districts, 5 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, one to Pembroke, 2 to Kings-

town, and 5 to localities outside the Registration Area.

There were 213 cases of the disease treated in Dublin hospitals during the year, those discharged numbering 176, the deaths in hospitals 33, and the number

remaining under treatment at the end of the year was 4.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Under this heading are classified the deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of 307 children under 2 years of age, being 104 under the average (411) for the five years, 1913-17. Of the 307 deaths, 149 belonged to North City districts, 123 to South City districts, 14 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, 15 to Pembroke, one to Blackrock, and 2 to Kingstown.

Influenza.—Deaths registered from influenza in the Dublin Registration Area during the year numbered 1,506, as against an average of 95 for the ten years, 1908-17. In the first quarter of the year 1918 there were only 20 deaths from this cause, in the second 24, in the third quarter the number was 252, and in the fourth, 1,210, such deaths in the four quarters of 1917 numbering 47, 13, 2 and 2, respec-

Of the 1,506 deaths, 619, affording a rate of 3 8 per 1,000 of the population, belonged to North City districts, 482 (or 3 4 per 1,000) to South City districts, 103 (or 2.6 per 1,000) to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, 73 (or 2.5 per 1,000) to Pembroke, 27 (or 3.0 per 1,000) to Blackrock, and 87 (or 5.3 per 1,000) to Kingstown, and there were 115 deaths in institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area.

Comparing the mortality for the several districts comprising the Area, it is found that the rates varied from 6.0 per 1,000 for North City No. 1, East, 5.3 per 1,000 for Kingstown urban district, and 4.3 for Coolock and Drumcondra (part of) to 2.2 per 1,000 for Finglas and Glasnevin (part of), 2.4 per 1,000 for

North City No. 3, and 2.5 per 1,000 for Pembroke urban district.

During the third quarter the annual rate represented by the 252 deaths from influenza was 2.5 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 4.2 per 1,000 for North City No. 1, East, to 0.0 for Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of). In the fourth quarter the 1,210 deaths from influenza are equivalent to 12.1 per 1,000, the district of North City No. 1, East, as in the third quarter, being highest with an annual rate of 193 per 1,000, and Finglas and Glasnevin (part of) shows the

lowest rate, viz., 7.0 per 1,000 of the population.

During the third and fourth quarters of the year the deaths of children under 5 years of age from influenza numbered 181, or 12.4 per cent. of the total deaths registered from this cause; 120, or 8 2 per cent., were between 5 and 15 years of age; 304, or 20.8 per cent., were between 15 and 25 years; 364, or 24.9 were between 25 and 35 years; 221, or 15.1 per cent., were between 35 and 45 years; 123, or 8.4 per cent., were between 45 and 55 years; and 149, or 10.2 per cent., were deaths of persons aged 55 years or upwards. It would appear that 60.8 per cent. of the victims from influenza during the six months were 15 and under 45 years of age.

PNEUMONIA.—The deaths registered as from pneumonia (1,149) in its various forms are, it may be noted, no less than 482 above the average (667) for the ten years, 1908-17, the deaths for the three years, 1915-17, being 701.595 and 597, respec-

tively

The deaths from pneumonia (1,149) last year (including 413 from branchopneumonia, 155 from lobar pneumonia, and 581 from pneumonia, type not distinguished) are equivalent to a rate of 2.9 per 1,000 of the population as compared

with an average of 1.7 per 1,000 for the ten years preceding.

Of the deaths from pneumonia (799) in the third and fourth quarters of 1918, 229 (or 28.7 per cent.) were those of children under 5 years of age; 83 (or 10.4 per cent.) were aged 5 and under 15 years; 107 (or 13.4 per cent.) were between 15 and 25 years; 162 (or 20.3 per cent.) were between 25 and 35 years: 86 (or 10.7 per cent.) were between 35 and 45; 54 (or 6.7 per cent.) were between 45 and 55; and 78 (or 9.8 per cent.) were deaths of persons aged 55 years and upwards.

Table I. shows that 1,212 cases of pneumonia were treated in Dublin hospitals during the year, and that of these 815 were discharged, 319 died, and 79 remained

under treatment at the end of the year.

CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.—To this disease 8 deaths were attributed, as compared with 15, 7 and 5, respectively, in the three years, 1915-1917.

Tuberculosis.

Table showing the Number of Deaths from all forms of Tuberculous Disease and Pulmonary Tuberculosis registered in the Dublin Registration Area during each of the 11 years, 1908-1918, with the respective rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby; also the averages for the years 1908-17.

Years,*		m all Forms of lous Disease.		m Pulmonary reulosis.
Total 15.	Number.	Rate per 1,000.	Number.	Rate per 1,000
1908	1,742	4.34	1.174	2.93
1909	1,508	3.79	1,174	2.64
1910	1,491	3.70	1,049 1,006	2.50
1911	1,451	3.59	1,050	2.60
1912	1,440	3.59	1,065	2.66
1913	1,444	3.59	1,070	2.66
1914	1,467	3.55	1,111	2.69
1915	1,543	3.78	1,193	2.92
1916	1,390	3:50	1,065	2.68
1917	1,371	3.43	1,058	2.65
A verage 1908–1917	1,485	3:70	1,085	2.70
1918	1,479	3.71	1,127	2.83

* See Notes (*) and (†) on page ix.

It will be observed from the foregoing table that the rate for deaths from all forms of tuberculous disease registered during the year 1918, viz., 3.71 per 1,000 of the population, is slightly above the average (3.70 per 1,000) for the preceding ten years and is higher than the mortality rate for any of the preceding ten years, with the exception of those for the years 1908, 1909 and 1915.

The rate for deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis in the Dublin Registration Area during the year under review was 2.83 per 1,000, as compared with an average

of 2.70 per 1,000 for the ten years, 1908-17.
Of the 1,479 deaths registered, 1,127 (or 76.2 per cent.) were assigned to pulmonary tuberculosis, and of the 352 deaths from other forms of tuberculous disease, 130 were ascribed to tuberculous meningitis, 77 to abdominal tuberculosis, 15 to tuberculosis of the spinal column. 24 to tuberculosis of the joints, 27 to tuberculosis

of other organs, and 79 to disseminated tuberculosis.

As derived from Table V., the deaths from tuberculous disease of residents of the Registration Area numbered 1.354, being equivalent to a rate of 3.39 per 1,000 of the population; for the city the number was 1,163, or 3.81 per 1,000—North City districts, 595 (or 3.67 per 1.000), and South City districts, 568 (or 3.97 per 1.000). For the urban district of Rathmines and Rathgar the number of deaths was 77, and the rate $1.96~\mathrm{per}$ 1.000; for Pembroke the number was $61~\mathrm{and}$ the rate $2.08~\mathrm{per}$ 1.000; for Blackrock the number was 21 and the rate 2.36 per 1,000; and for Kingstown 32 deaths were recorded, affording a rate of 1.94 per 1,000 of the population.

Of the 1,479 deaths registered, 125 were those of persons admitted to insti-

tutions from localities situated outside the Dublin Registration Area.

Cancer.—The deaths from cancer (526), being equivalent to 1.32 per 1,000 of the population, are 52 above the average, 474, for the fen years, 1908-17, and are in excess of those recorded in any year of this decennium.

DISEASES OF THE BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM .-- To this group 763 deaths were referred, affording a rate of 1 91 per 1,000 of the population, and include 137 deaths

from convulsions, all but one being deaths of children under 5 years of age.

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.—There were 775 deaths from these causes, being equal to 1.94 per 1.000 of the population, and include 662 deaths from organic diseases of the heart. In the three preceding years deaths from diseases of the circulatory system numbered 944, 867, and 784, respectively.

Bronchitis.—Deaths from bronchitis amounted to 906, or 2.27 per 1,000 of the population. The 906 deaths are 85 below the average for the five preceding

vears.

Congenital Conditions.—Among these 42 were ascribed to congenital malformations, 182 to premature birth, and 234 to congenital debility.

VIOLENCE.—Of 198 deaths registered other than homicidal or suicidal cases, 76 were caused by drowning; 37 (22 being those of children under 5 years of age) by burns or scalds; 11 by gunshot wounds (9 being deaths of soldiers); 8 by vehicles and horses; 7 by poisons or poisonous vapours; 7 (infants) by suffocation in bed; 6 were railway accidents; and 2 were caused in building operations.

There were 12 cases of suicide and one of homicide.

Table I.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated during the Year 1918 (52 weeks), in the principal Dublin Hospitals in which cases of infectious diseases are received.

Dispases.		No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous year.	No. admitted during year.	Discharged.	Died;	No. under treatment at close of period.
· Euteric Fever,		20	133	122	20	11
Typhus,			6	6		
Small-pox,	! .				*********	f
Measles,	***	26	480	468	35 .	3
Scarlet Fever,		50	464	444	. 18	52*
Diphtheria,		14	199	176	33 ,	4
Pneumonia,		21 ,	1,191	815	.319	78

^{*} Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the convalescent home of Cork-street Fever Hospital.

In 261 cases the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness; of these 261 cases, 91, or 34.9 per cent., were deaths of children under 5 years of age; these 91 deaths form 3.7 per cent. of the total number of deaths of children of that age-period. Of the deaths of 489 infants under one month old registered, there were 53 (or 10.8 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

STATE OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

RETURNS of the number of cases of Infectious Diseases notified under the "Infectious Diseases (Notification) Act, 1889," and the "Tuberculosis Prevention (Ireland) Act, 1908," as furnished by the respective sanitary authorities, are set forth in the following Table:—

Table II.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the Year 1918 (52 weeks). A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Population†	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella er Epi- demic Rose Rush.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Ferey.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrhoal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis,	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Other Notifiable Diseases.	Total.
CITY OF DUBLIN	305,100	*			311	5		122	-	4	110	73	10	-		5	-	2	814		1,456
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT.	39,200	٠	-		56		a.	20		. •	11	13		-				٠		_	100
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BLACKROCK URBAN DISTRICT	8,900		30		6			3			i	3			to principal	•			2		94
KINGSTOWN URBAN DISTRICT	16,500				2			9			٠	1	٠						11		23
CTTY OF BELFAST	393,000				262	23		229	2	ő	173	65	4		Name and Address of the Owner, where the Owner, which is the Owner, where the Owner, which is the Owner,	17	20mm-200		71	_	851
CITY OF CORK	76,673		734	-	22	1	*	32	18	10	39	16	2				118	•	-		995
CITY OF LONDONDERRY	40,000				41	26		. 4			11	7	-		Shipper .	11		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	<u>-</u> ,		100
CITY OF LIMERICK	38,518			· .	14			5	2	2	18	٠.,				1	tump-		i	garangen a	42
CITY OF WATERFORD	27,464	•	gradure 0		3	•	٠	1	٠	1	7	2					attribute ,	4	38		52

AGES AT DEATH.

Of the 10,202 deaths registered during the year, 2,479 deaths, or 24'3 per cent, were of children under five years of age, and 2,044. or 20'0 per cent.. were of persons aged 65 years and upwards, including those of \$43 persons aged 75 years and upwards of whom 57 were stated to have been nonagenarians, and one (a male) was stated to have been aged 101 years.

Table III.—Showing, by certain Age-Periods, the population of the Dublin Registration Area in 1911, the number of Deaths registered during each of the eight years 1911-1918, and the proportion which the Deaths at each Age-Period bear to the estimated Population* at the same age.

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Y	EAR.		ALL AGES.	Under 1 year.	and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65	65 and under 75.	75 and up- wards.
CENSUS POPULA	TION IN 1911	•••	397,957	8,917	31,	996	70,937	80,218	124,528	58,889	16,879	5,593
Number of Deaths Registered.	Year 1911 Year 1912 Year 1913 Year 1914 Year 1915 Year 1916 Year 1917 Year 1918 1st Quarter, 2nd , 3rd , 4th ,,	1918	9,118 8,728 8,657 9,175 9,521 8,721 8,294 10,202 2,206 2,149 2,133 3,714	1,808 1,560 1,758 1,653 1,703 1,472 1,343 1,386 329 304 356 397	698 578 434 613 538 416 467 508 133 130 96 149	497 535 310 506 441 355 392 585 147 122 95	406 429 359 386 339 367 359 586 114 115 110 247	443 435 441 423 499 556 492 949 134 173 187 455	1,426 1,395 1,426 1,426 1,448 1,451 1,233 2,092 298 342 449 1,003	1,907 1,930 1,996 2,130 2,217 1,977 1,876 2,052 502 441 441 668	1,121 1,132 1,159 1,203 1,365 1,241 1,218 1,201 329 307 228 337	812 734 774 835 971 886 914 843 220 215 171 237
Number of Deaths at each Age-Period to every 1,000 of the Estimated Population at Same Age.	Year 1911 Year 1912 Year 1913 Year 1914 Year 1915 Year 1916 Year 1917 Year 1918		22·6 21·8 21·5 22·2 23·3 22·0 20·8 25·6		73·3 64·9 60·4 65·3 63·8 55·0 53·7 60·4		5·6 6·0 5·0 5·2 4·6 5·2 5·0 8·2	5·4 5·4 5·4 5·1 6·1 6·9 6·1 11·8	11·3 11·1 11·3 11·0 11·3 11·7 9·9 16·8	31.9 32.5 33.5 34.9 36.6 33.7 31.8 34.8	65·5 66·6 67·8 68·7 78·7 73·7 72·0 71·0	143 · 2 130 · 4 136 · 7 144 · 0 168 · 9 158 · 8 163 · 0 150 · 3

^{*} See note (*) on page ix.

† 53 weeks. See note (†) on page ix.

INFANT MORTALITY.

Excluding 715 births and 43 deaths in Institutions of infants whose mothers were admitted from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the infant mortality rate for the year 1918 was 149 per 1,000 births, as against 152 per 1,000 births in 1917, and 153 per 1,000 births in 1916.

The infant mortality, as corrected, for each district of the Dublin Registration Area in 1918 is given in Table V. It will be seen from this table that the rate for the city was 161 per 1,000, the rates for the North and South City districts being, respectively, 150 and 175 per 1,000, while for the urban districts the infant mortality rate was 98 per 1,000, the district rates varying from 247 for South City No. 1, 180 for North City No. 2, and 173 for North City No. 1, West, to 40 for Blackrock urban district, 69 for Coolock and Drumcondra, part of, and 69 for Finglas and Glasnevin, part of.

In 1917 the infant mortality rate for the City of Dublin was 160 per 1,000, the rates for the North and South City districts being, respectively, 155 and 165 per 1,000, and the rate for the urban districts was 118 per 1,000 births.

Basing the infant mortality rate on the total number of births and deaths of infants registered in the Dublin Registration Area, the rate for 1918 amounted to 143 per 1,000 births, as compared with 144 in 1917, 147 in 1916, 157 in 1915, 149 in 1914, and an average of 149 in every 1,000 births registered during the ten years, 1908-1917.

Table IV.—Dublin Registration Area.*—Causes of Death in the years 1908-1918, with the Ratio of the Deaths to the Population

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* The rates for the years 1908 917 are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the respective years; those for 1918 on the estimated population in the middle or 1917.

† The numbers for the years 1908 and 1914 embrace the returns for 53 weeks. This arrangement is occasionally necessary in order that the annual series may correspond with the calendar year.

| The numbers for the years 1908 and 1914 embrace the returns for 53 weeks. | For 52 weeks only.

Table V.—Showing for the Year 1918 (52 weeks) the number of Births and Deaths relating to per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented by the Deaths from All Infants under one year old per 1,000 Births; with the Mortality from some of the principal and Deaths of Infants occurring in Institutions have been assigned to the Districts containing which the deceased were admitted.

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CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of.	5,400	15.6	0.2	82	. 98	84	8	2	2	4	10	11	16	
COOLOCK AND DRUM- CONDRA, part of.	13,400	18-4	0.7	69	247	246	17	9	10	14	24	53	61	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of.	10,900	13.0	0.7	69	204	142	14	2	6	10	11	36	32	
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RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	39,200	18.7	1.1	94	636	734	60	23	27	29	55	132	161	2
PEMBROKE	29,300	18.5	0.7	113	646	543	73	18	26	30	35	118	104	1
Blackrock	8,900	15.4	0.7	40	126	137	5	7	6	1	20	21	30	
Kingstown	16,500	21.7	0.6	96	280	358	27	9	17	18	30	84	84	1
North	162,000	24.5	2.0	150	3,991	3,969	597	235	277	244	333	802	784	6:
Total South	143,100	25.5	2.0	175	3,329	3,656	581	207	217	226	320	701	704	7
	305,100	25.0	2.0	161	7,320	7,625	1,178	442	494	470	653	1.503	1,488	1,39
Total Urban Districts	93,900	18.9	0.8	98	1,688	1,772	165	57	76	78	140	335	379	5:
Total Registration Area	399,000	23.6	1.7	149	9,008	9,397	1,343	499	570	548	793	1,838	1,867	1,9
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the Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Dublin Registration Area, the Rate Causes and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases*; and the Rate for deaths of causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths. The Births the homes of the mothers, all other deaths in Institutions having been referred to the districts from

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Occupations.—Table VII. exhibits the occupations or social position of the persons whose deaths were registered during the year, the various callings being grouped in classes and orders, so as to show the respective rates of mortality in the several social grades of the population. From this Table it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to a rate of 21.1 per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911: in the "Middle Class" the death-rate was 17.7 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 20.7; and in the "General Service Class" it was 25.9. The number of the living in each of the several classes and orders of occupations in 1911 is shown by age-periods in the following Table:—

Table VI.—Showing by Ages, in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups, the Occupations or Social Position of the Inhabitants of the Dublin Registration Area in 1911.

	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. [The 31,318 persons returned under the head	Population				Ages.			
Class.	"Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed pro rata among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.	in each Class and Group in 1911.	Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and up- wards.
	ALL PERSONS	397,957	40,913	70,937	80,218	124,528	58,889	16,879	5,593
1.	CLASSES. Families of the:— PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS	14,658	873	1,844	2,194	4,594	3,491	1,145	517
III. W.	MIDDLE CLASS ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS	101,798 108,420 167,479	8,041 12,745 18,987	16,143 21,352 31,440	22,941 21,313 33,431	33,015 33,312 52,329	15,950 15,179 22,389	4,138 3,745 6,574	1,570 774 2,329
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES	5,602	267	158	339	1,278	1,880	1,277	403
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.					1			
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers; and Heads of Public Departments.	7,868	569	983	721	2,924	2,037	464	170
	 Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described. 	1,347 5,443	132 172	265 596	128 1,345	374 1,296	345 1,109	90 591	13 334
. II.	MIDDLE CLASS.								
	 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business 	9,523 25,199	948 3,176	1,649	1,580 2,134	3,289	1,708 4,880	261 942	88 182
e general conditions of the second approximations.	Managers, &c. 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities, not included in above.	33,249 33,827	2,541 1,376	4,118 4,874	10,931 8,296	11,813 9,530	3,334 6,028	428 2,507	84 1,216
ш.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.								
4 1	 Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers. Building and Furnishing Trades	11,777 28,823	1,762 4,056	2,608 6,921	1,900 3,752	3,951 8,727	1,330 4,207	196 1,000	30 160
•	10. Clothing Trades	20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	1,270 1,321 3,582 754	2,313 1,962 6,129 1,419	6,078 1,407 7,173 1,003	6,173 2,965 9,320 2,176	2,892 1,112 4,509 1,129	1,030 163 1,102 254	270 22 255 37
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.								
	 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery, and Prison Services 15. Domestic Servants 	12,977 36,041	1,223 1,166	1,971 2,162	4,205 12,812	3,423 13,179	1,513 4,899	1,496	155 327
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c. 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.	15,380 103,081	2,610 13,988	3,728 23,579	1,756 14,658	5,318 30,409	1,707 14,270	230 4,361	31 1,816
V. [INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.							1	
	18. Workhouse Inmates	5,602	267	158	339	1,278	1,880	1,277	403

TABLE VII.—Showing, in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups, the Occupations or Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Year 1918 (52 weeks), the Annual Death Rate represented by the Deaths Registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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PROVINCIAL URBAN DISTRICTS.—(See Tables VIII. and IX.)—The respective death-rates per 1,000 of the population represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* registered during the year in the eighteen urban districts included in the Weekly Returns are as follow, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest—Clonmel, 03; Newry, 05; Waterford, 06; Galway, 06; Wenford, 06; Drogheda, 07; Sligo, 08; Dundalk, 09; Ballymena, 10; Kilkenny, 10; Tralee, 10; Limerick, 13; Portadown, 14; Londonderry, 17; Belfast, 18; Lisburn, 19; Lurgan, 20, and Cork, 22.

Enteric Fever.—Of 52 deaths, 25 belonged to Belfast, 7 to Cork, 6 to Limerick, 4 to Dundalk, 3 to Lisburn, 2 to each of Londonderry and Ballymena, and one to each of Newry, Portadown and Clonmel.

Typhus.—The 12 deaths from this cause include 6 for Londonderry, 3 for Belfast, 2 for Cork, and one for Clonmel.

SMALL-POX.—No death from this disease was recorded.

Measles.—The 276 deaths include 111 for Belfast, 88 for Cork, 29 for Londonderry, 27 for Limerick, 8 for Kilkenny, 4 for Ballymena, 3 for Tralee, 2 for Waterford, and one for each of Galway, Dundalk, Lurgan and Newry.

Scarlet Fever.—Included in the 18 deaths are 12 belonging to Belfast, and one to each of Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, Dundalk, Ballymena and Clonmel.

Whooping-cough.—For Belfast 317 deaths were recorded, for Cork 27, for Lurgan 19, for each of Lisburn and Portadown 11, for Drogheda 7, for Dundalk 5, for each of Limerick and Newry 4, for Londonderry 2, and for each of Sligo and Kilkenny one death.

DIPHTHERIA.—Among the 57 deaths from this cause are 30 for Belfast, 6 for each of Cork and Limerick, 4 for Lisburn, 3 for Ballymena, 2 for each of Lurgan and Portadown, and one for each of Galway, Wexford, Sligo and Tralee.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Among the deaths under this heading are 269 deaths of children under 2 years of age from diarrhea and enteritis. Of these 175 belonged to Belfast, 34 to Cork, 16 to Londonderry, 9 to Waterford, and 6 to each of Galway and Lisburn.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis.—The number of deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis registered in the eighteen urban districts amounted to 1,796, equivalent to an annual rate of 2.5 per 1,000 of the aggregate population of these districts. The deaths in Belfast (1,051) represent a rate of 2.7 per 1,000 of the estimated population. In the remaining seventeen urban districts the deaths, 745, represent an annual rate of 2.2 per 1,000 of the aggregate population of these areas. In the Dublin Registration Area the rate for deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from outside the Area) is equal to 2.6 per 1,000 of the estimated population.

^{*} See note (*) on page iv.

mentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of persons admitted from other districts), with the TABLE VIII.—BIRTHS* and DEATHS Registered during the YEAR 1918 (52 weeks) in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the under-Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths. number of

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TABLE IX. ... Showing by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the Number of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK registered

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·4 and 17·4; Dublin Registration Area, 18·3 and 18·3; Dublin City, 18·1 and 18·3; Belfast, 19·5 and 16·9; Cork, 16·3 and 15·3; Londonderry, 15·6 and 15·3; Limerick,

23·0 and 27·4; and Waterford, 13·3 and 13·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·7 per 1,000. Among the 147 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from enteric fever, 4 from measles, and 7 from whooping-cough, One of the 24 deaths from all causes for Cork was from enteric fever, and there was one death from diarrhœa. Of the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick there were 7 from measles and one from diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Of the 7 deaths from all causes for Waterford 2 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 2 deaths for Lurgan include one from measles. One of the 3 deaths recorded for Drogheda was caused by whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 194-99 boys

and 95 girls—and the deaths to 154—66 males and 88 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18.3 per 1,000 of the population, the rate for the total deaths registered in the area being 20·1 per 1,000. The 140 deaths appertaining to the Area include 3 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one

from influenza, and 4 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, 0, and 6; deaths from whooping-cough 2, 3, and 2; and deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years one, 2, and 0. There

were no deaths from influenza during the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 27 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 13, 20, and 19,

respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 12 by pneumonia (comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia, type not distinguished) 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 24 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 3 to diarrhœa and

enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

One death was due to burns.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 42 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 34 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 140 deaths recorded, 44 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 29th ultimo in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 21·5), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 17·9 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week ended 5th instant in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·4 and for Edinburgh 15·5.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 5th January. From this Report it appears that of 41 cases notified, 21 were diphtheria, 6 scarlet fever, 4 pulmonary tuberculosis, 9 other forms of tuberculosis, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 377 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 126 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 110 of scarlet fever, 74 of diphtheria, 5 of erysipelas, 5 of measles, 3 of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 5th January, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 5th January, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 19; measles 19 and 37; searlet fever 7 and 49*; and diphtheria 4 and 16. Thirteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of measles and pneumonia.

II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 5th January, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow. TABLE

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(c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Mercerological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in the several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botonic Gardens, Glasneyin. (g) The figures for London relate to the week ended 29th ultimo. (h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis. (a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is middle of 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1916. (b) See note (1) a

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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ALL CAUSES.	221.4	154	5	12	9	10	4	2	10	6	7	9	17	18	. 16	29	140
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Pyæmia and Septicemia (non-puerperal). Tetanus	•8	•							•				•				•
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Softening of Brain Paralysis, without specified cause. Epilepsy,	4.0 '	:	•				• !	•	• ,		•		• ,				•
Convulsions (non-puer- peral). Other Diseases of Ner- vous System.	2.8	2		2		1		•			•			•	•	1	1 2 2
Pericarditis Acute Endocarditis Organic Diseases of the Heart.	18-8	15		•	:/		•	•	:		:	•	: 2	: 2	· · 4		:
Embolism and Throm- bosis (including Cere- bral). Other Diseases of Cir-	1.0	2				•	•	•				1	1		1		2
culatory System. Diseases of the Larynx	•2																•
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Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	· 8 · 4 2· 4	1			•	•		•						•		1	1

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Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.0	1	•	•	٠	٠	ŀ	•	•	٠	•		•	•	1	٠	1
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	•		•	•	•	•		•	•					•	•	•	
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Childbirth.	•4	1	•	•	•	٠	•	٠	٠	٠	٠	1	•	•	•	•	•
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Diseases of Locomotor System.				•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		•
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* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE IV -Showing for the Week ended 57H JANUARY, 1918, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrares in the Duelin Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the principal causes; also the Deaths at th

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 5th January, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Reiapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertsin)— Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 5th January, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases,	-	Dec. 15.	Dec. 22.	Dec. 29.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No under treatment at close of week.
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^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12TH JANUARY, 1918.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 20·1 and 18·6; Dublin Registration Area, 22·1 and 19·4; Dublin City,

22.9 and 19.6; Belfast, 20.0 and 18.8; Cork, 19.0 and 18.0; Londonderry, 15.6 and 16.6; Limerick,

23.0 and 28.4; and Waterford, 19.0 and 13.8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.6 per 1,000. Among the 151 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 4 from measles, 5 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 4 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. Four of the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick were from measles, and the 8 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include 3 from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 197—109 boys

and 88 girls—and the deaths to 180—91 males and 89 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22·1 per 1,000 of the population, During the two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·2 and was 4·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the two weeks was 21.8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25.6.

The 169 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric tever, 4 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from influenza, and 4 of children under 2 years from diarrhoa and enteritis.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 0, one, and 0; deaths from measles, 0, 6, and 3; deaths from whooping-cough, 3, 2, and 2; deaths from influenza, 0, 0, and one; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 0, and 4, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (comprising 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from

abdominal tuberculosis), as against 20, 19. and 27, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 9 by pneumonia (comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 34 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 4 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

Two deaths of children aged, respectively, 3 years and 4 years were caused by burns.

One death by suicide was recorded.

Forty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 15 were under one month old, and 53 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 40 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 169 deaths recorded, 61 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 5th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 21·3), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 18·0 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week ended 12th instant in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·3 and for Edinburgh 17·2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 12th January. From this Report it appears that of 56 cases notified, 19 were diphtheria, 11 scarlet fever, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 11 other forms of tuberculosis, 3 erysipelas and one enteric fever. Among the 396 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 136 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 99 of scarlet fever, 77 of diphtheria, 9 of measles, 7 of erysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 12th January, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella,	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 12th January, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 6 and 22; measles 7 and 36; scarlet fever 4 and 46*; and diphtheria 4 and 17. Nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever and scarlet fever.

II.—BIRTHS and DEATES registered during the week ending Saturday, 12th January, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Puerperal Septicæmia, &c. Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Childbirth.	•2	•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues. Diseases of Locomotor System. Congenital Malformations. Premature Birth Congenital Debility Old Age Other Specified Diseases	2·0 ·4 ·8 4·8 3·8 8·4 1·6	1 6 7 11	1 5 5	1 2											•		1 6 7 11 1
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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Week ended 12th January, 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registrars Districts in the Dubter Registrar from the principal equals, and by the Doaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases*: with the Mortelity from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at extrain any principal author the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Element Groups the Occupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday. 12th January, 1918: the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI - Dublin Registration Area and Balfast City. - Computative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VII.—Showing, by Registrars, the Number of Births and Deaths in the Cities (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 12th January, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain Age Persons; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 12th January, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th January, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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DISEASES.	•		Dec. 22.	Dec. 29.	Jan. 5.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
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Small-pox,				•	•				
Measles,	• •	• •	25	26	37	7	8		36
Scarlet Fever	• •		52	50	49	4	6	1	46*
Diphtheria,	• •		16	14	16	4	3		17
Fneumonia,	••	••	20	21	28	9	9	٠	28

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 19·8 and 19·3; Dublin Registration Area, 21·4 and 20·5; Dublin City, 22·2 and 20·7; Belfast, 20·4 and 20·0; Cork, 16·3 and 16·5; Londonderry, 20·9 and 18·3; Limerick,

19·0 and 22·7; and Waterford, 17·1 and 16·6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·3 per 1,000. Among the 154 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 8 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 4 from diarrheal diseases. One of the 24 deaths from all causes from Cork is from whooping-cough. Five of the 14 deaths from all causes for Limerick were from measles, and there was one from diphtheria, and the 4 deaths from all causes for Lisburn include one from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 176-76 boys

and 100 girls—and the deaths to 175—83 males and 92 females. The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·4 per 1,000 of the population, During the three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·6 and was 3·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the three weeks was 22·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·8.

The 164 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 9 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from influenza, and 4 of children under 2 years from diarrheea

and enteritis.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered one, 0, and one; deaths from measles, 6, 3, and 4; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 2, and 2; deaths from influenza, 0, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhee and enteritis of children under 2 years, 0, 4, and 4, respectively. There were no deaths from diphtheria registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 28 deaths (comprising 24 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculosis of the spinal column and 3 from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 19, 27, and 12,

respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by pneumonia (comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 28 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to diarrheea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility

There were 3 deaths caused by accident, including 2 by burns or scalds (one being that of a child

aged one year 11 months).

Thirty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 49 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 164 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 19th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 20·6), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 18·7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17·1 and for Edinburgh 17·8.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 19th January. From this Report it appears that of 54 cases notified, 19 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 10 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 diphtheria, 8 scarlet fever, 3 erysipelas and one enteric fever. Among the 381 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 131 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 84 of scarlet fever, 71 of diphtheria, 12 of measles, 10 of crysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstewn), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 19th January, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 19th January, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 20; measles 8 and 34; searlet fever 5 and 43*; and diphtheria 6 and 17. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week diphtheria.

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middle of 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1916. (b) See acte (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lungan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Slize, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limenick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phemix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE VI - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1917

Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 19th January, 1918

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 19th January, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks

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Small-pox,		• •						•	
Measles,			26	37	. 36	8 .	10		34
Scarlet Fever	• •		50	49	. 46	5	8.		43*
Diphtheria,	••		14	16	17	6	3	3	17
Pneumonia,	• •	• •	. 21	28	28	8	2	*	34

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 20·7 and 19·7; Dublin Registration Area, 21·2 and 20·7; Dublin City, 23·2 and 21·6; Belfast, 21·2 and 20·3; Cork, 11·6 and 15·8; Londonderry, 18·2 and 17·6; Limerick,

23.2 and 21.6; Belfast, 21.2 and 20.3; Cork, 11.6 and 15.6; Londonderry, 16.2 and 21.6; Belfast, 21.2 and 20.3; and Waterford, 26.6 and 19.0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.7 per 1,000. Among the 160 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 4 from measles, 12 from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrheea and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork is from diphtheria and one is from diarrhea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick was from measles, and there was one from cerebro-spinal meningitis. One of the 2 deaths for Dundalk is from measles, and of the 8 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny one is from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 170-88 boys and 82 girls—and the deaths to 169-92 males and 77 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of $21 \cdot 2$ per 1,000 of the population. During the four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged $20 \cdot 8$ and was $3 \cdot 7$ below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the four weeks was $22 \cdot 2$ and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years $25 \cdot 9$.

The 162 deaths appertaining to the Area include 5 from measles, 4 from whooping-cough, one

from diphtheria, one from influenza, and 3 from diarrheal diseases.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 3, 4, and 9; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 2, and 2; deaths from diphtheria, 0, 0, and one; deaths from influenza, one, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases 4, 4, and 4, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 33 deaths (comprising 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 27, 12, and 28,

respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, 3 by simple meningitis, 15 by pneumonia (comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 9 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

There were 3 deaths caused by accident, including one by scalds (a child aged 2 years), and one

by building operations.

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 24 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 162 deaths recorded, 64 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 19th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 20.6), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 18.7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week ended 26th instant in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17.1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16.7 and for Edinburgh 15.2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 26th January. From this Report it appears that of 46 cases notified, 16 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 12 diphtheria, 9 scarlet fever and 4 erysipelas. Among the 354 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 137 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 75 of scarlet fever, 61 of diphtheria, 10 of measles, 9 of erysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 26th January, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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Kingstown Urban District.	Jan. 5, Jan. 12, Jan. 19, Jan. 26,	•			•		•	•	•	•		:	•		_	_	_	•	•	•
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(a) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table 1X. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 26th January, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 17; measles 11 and 35; searlet fever 8 and 41*; and diphtheria 4 and 21. Ten cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 33 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from measles and 2 were from pneumonia.

II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registored during the week ending Saturday, 26th January, 1918, in the Dubling Registration Area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil oppulation in 1916. (b) See acte (†) at foot of first page. It having the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Luxion, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwillian Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Cardens, Glasnevin. (g) The figures for London relate to the week ended 19th instant.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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in the Fourth Week, ending Saturday, 26th January, 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years 1913-17.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Element Groups the Occoprations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration area during the Week ending Saturday, 25th January, 1918: the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen works, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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TABLE VII.—Showing by Regerenans' Districts, the Number of British and Deathes in the Civits (or Urban District) of BELFANT and CORK, registered during the week ended 26th January, 1918, Deathe in Public Institutions of Persons about each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions desconding to the Journal of Persons were admitted; with the Annual Rates* of Morrality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Discusses; Number of the Deaths at certain A is Pentrops: the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 26th January; 1918

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia origin uncertain)— Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Total.
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Table 1X.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th January, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks

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Scarlet Fever	• •		49	46	43	8	10		41*
Diphtheria,	• •		16	17	17	4 .			21
Pneumonia,	0 0	• •	28	28	34	10	9	2	33

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

NEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 19.6 and 20.0; Dublin Registration Area, 19.9 and 21.1; Dublin City, 19.5 and 21.9; Belfast, 21.2 and 20.7; Cork, 19.7 and 16.7; Londonderry, 13.0 and 16.9; Limerick,

23.0 and 21.3; and Waterford, 20.9 and 20.9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of i·7 per 1,000. Among the 160 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 3 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, one from cerebro-spinal meningitis, and 4 from diarrhœal diseases. One of the 29 deaths from all causes for Cork is from whooping-cough. Of the 10 deaths from all causes for Londonderry one is from cerebro-spinal meningitis. Of the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from enteric fever, 3 are from measles, one is from diphtheria, and there is one from cerebro-spinal enteric fever, 3 are from measles, one is from diphtheria, and there is one from cerebro-spinal enteric fever, 3 are from measles, one is from diphtheria, and there is one from cerebro-spinal enteric fever, 3 are from measles, one is from diphtheria, and there is one of the 5 deaths. meningitis. One of the 7 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is from diphtheria; one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Newry is from whooping-cough, and the only death for Kilkenny is one from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 154-78 boys

and 76 girls—and the deaths to 170—86 males and 84 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 19.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged $20\cdot 6$ and was $4\cdot 0$ below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the five weeks was $22 \cdot 2$ and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years $26 \cdot 0$.

The 152 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, one from influenza, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one

from cerebro-spinal fever.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 4, 9, and 5; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 2, and 4; deaths from influenza, one, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhee and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 4, and 2 respectively. There were no deaths from searlet fever or cerebrospinal fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 26 deaths (comprising 20 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from

tuberculous meniagitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 28, and 33,

respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 3 by simple meningitis, 12 by pneumonia (comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia. 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 23 by organic diseases of the heart, and 21 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to diarrhoa and enteritis. 3 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

There was one death caused by a tramcar Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 29 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 152 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 2nd instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.0), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15.0 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.5 and for Edinburgh 14.1.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 2nd February. From this Report it appears that of 41 cases notified, 17 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 other forms of tuberculosis, 12 diphtheria, 7 scarlet fever, one puerperal fever and one erysipelas. Among the 342 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 134 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 69 of scarlet fever, 56 of diphtheria, 16 of measles, 7 of erysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of puerperal fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd February, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Weel	k	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals-during the week ended 2nd February, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 16; measles 8 and 37; scarlet fever 6 and 35*; and diphtheria 2 and 17. Seven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of measles and scarlet fever and 2 were from pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

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(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park.

(e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square.

(f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Euchonomy, and one for Limerick.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Elgineer Groups the Occopations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registered and the Winner from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABER VI - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in cash of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 2nd February, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd February, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 14.8 and 18.7; Dublin Registration Area, 14.8 and 19.3; Dublin City,

16.9 and 20.4; Belfast, 16.3 and 19.8; Cork, 10.2 and 14.5; Londonderry, 10.4 and 15.6; Limerick, 20.3 and 20.6; and Waterford, 20.9 and 21.4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.9 per 1,000. Among the 123 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 8 from measles, 12 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Of the 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from enteric fever, One of the 7 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is from diphtheria. The and 2 are from measles,. One of the 7 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is from diphtheria. The 4 deaths from all causes for Drogheda include one from whooping-cough, and one of the 3 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 173-84 boys

and 89 girls—and the deaths to 122—68 males and 54 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14.8 per 1,000 of the population. During the six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·6 and was 5·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered

during the six weeks was 21·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·1.

The 113 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, two from influenza, one from chicken-pox, and 7 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 9, 5, and 2; deaths from whoopingcough, 2, 4, and 3; deaths from influenza, one, one, and one; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 2, and 3 respectively. There were no deaths from chicken-pox registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (comprising 8 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous meningitis), as against 28, 33, and 26, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by pneumonia (comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 10 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 6 to diarrhœa and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Four deaths were due to drowning and 2 were caused by vehicles.

Thirty-six of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 33 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 113 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 9th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.7), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15.7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13.2 and for Edinburgh 11.9.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D.; B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 9th February. From this Report it appears that of 43 cases notified, 16 were diphtheria. 10 pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 8 scarlet fever, and one enteric fever. Among the 340 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 145 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 62 of diphtheria, 59 of scarlet fever, 19 of measles, 4 of erysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of puerperal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th February, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table 1X. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 9th February, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 18; measles 5 and 34; scarlet fever 8 and 39*; and diphtheria 3 and 14. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from measles.

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FABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the wook onding Saturday, 9th February, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Undark Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Fourth Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

(a) According to the Ceneus of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component pairs and the Cities of Beliast and Londonicery, the population given is that estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1916. (b) See noted (f) at flow of first page. (c) It having the readings at the readings from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the received have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Fortadown, those at Markree for Slige, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phærix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasmewin, (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of in 6th Week of years, 1913-1917.	All Ages.	Under 1 month	I month and under I year	1—2.	2-5.	5-10.	10—15.	15-20.	.0—25.	25—35.	35—45.	45—55.	55—65.	65—75.	75 and upwards	Dublin Registra- tion Area (included in the foregoing).
ALL CAUSES.	202-4	122	8	19	4	5	•	1	•	3	9	6	11	19	26	11	113
Enteric Fever Typhus Small-pox Measles Scarlet Fever Whooping-cough Diphtheria Croup Influenza Dysentery Erysipelas	1·0 3·0 1·0 3·6 1·4 3·2 ·2	2		1	1	1					1						2
Other Epidemic Diseases Pyæmia and Septicemia (non-puerperal).	•8	1	•				•					1					1
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Scrofula Disseminated Tuber-culosis.	3.0	•	٠	•			۰	•	1 *	•		0		•		•	
Venereal Diseases Cancer Tumour, situation undefined. Rheumatic Fever	1.0	9						•			1	1.		3	4.		6
Diabetes Anemia, Leucocy- themia. Other General Diseases Alcoholism Chronic Poisonings	1.2	1											:				, ;
Cerebro-spinal Fever Simple Meningitis Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy.	1·2 1·2 7·2	4		•				:			•			2	•	; i	4
Softening of Brain Paralysis, without specified cause. Epilepsy. Convulsions (non-puer-	1.6 1.6 .8 5.8	3		2								1	•	1	1:	•	2 . 2
peral). Other Diseases of Nervous System.		1		•									1		•		1
Pericarditis Acute Endocarditis Organic Diseases of the Heart.	8	13											1	4	7	1	11
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral). Other Diseases of Cir-					•								1 .			1	1
culatory System. Diseases of the Larynx Bronchitis	33·0 9·8 1·0 5·6	10		2 2	1 1	1		•		1			3 1		3 . 1 .	1 1	1 10 5 2 3
Pulmonary Congestion Pulmonary Apoplexy Other Diseases of Re- spiratory System	• 8											0 0	1 .	2	1	•	3

in the Sixth Week, ending Saturday, 9th February, 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years 1913-17.

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	Average number of deaths in 6th Week of the 5 years, 1913-1917.	An Ages.	Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year.	12.	2—5.	5—10.	10—15.	15—20.	20—25.	25—35.	35—45.	45—55.	55—65.	65—75.	75 and upwards.	tion Area (included in the foregoing).
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Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	•8	1	·		•	٠	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	1
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Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.4	•	•		•	٠	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•			•
Cirrhosis of Liver Other Diseases of Liver	1.0	. 1				÷	•	•		•		•	•		1		
Peritonitis (cause un- known).	•	1	•	1	•	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•		1
Other Diseases of Di- gestive System.	•	1	٠		•	1	•	•	•	•	·	•		•	•		1
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Ovarian Tumour (non- cancerous).	•	1	٠		•	•	·	٠	•	•	1	•	•	•	٠	•	1
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	2.2	2	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	1	•	•	•	•	1	2
Puerperal Septicæmia,	•2	1							٠	•	1		•			•	1.
&c. Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Childbirth.	•6	•		•	•	•		•	•		•		•		•	•	•
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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Week ended the february, 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registrated British in the Dorth Registration Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Dorths from the principal Epidemic Dispases*; with the Wortzlity from some of the principal causes; also the Douths in Public Institutions being assigned from which the decorate number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned from which the decorate uniques.

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TABLE VI - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous transfer of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years.	195	188	198	181	200	171	155	224	225	211 2	218	223 2	217	174	176	181	182 1	183 1	81 1	165 245	15 206	6 221	1 209	214	1	200
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Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years,	146	158	162	170	164	163	155	195	: 179	189 1	192	191	192	3.4	139	137 1	53	154	50	156 1	156 162	2 149	9 161	171		200
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Table VII.—Showing, by Redspraces, the Number of Births and Deaths in the Ctries (or Urban Districtions of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 9th February, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted, with the Annual Rayres of Morrality per 1,000 of the Deaths to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain Aste Periods; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 9th February, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scariet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th February, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks

			No. of Cas	ses in Hospit of week ende	al at close	W	eek ended 9	th Februar	y.
DISEASES.			Jan. 19.	Jan. 26.	Feb. 2.	No. admitted	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,		• •	20	17	16	2			18
Typhus,		• •	•	•				0	
Small-pox,	• •		●	•	• .				
Measles,	• •	• •	34	35	37	5	7	.1 .	. 34
Scarlet Fever			43	41	35	8 .	4	• •	39*
Diphtheria,			17	21	17	3	6		14
Pneumonia,	• •		34	33	30	6	6	•	30

^{*} Exclusive of 8 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—
Nineteen Town Districts, 17·3 and 18·1; Dublin Registration Area, 17·6 and 18·4; Dublin City, 18·1 and 19·4; Belfast, 20·0 and 19·7; Cork, 12·2 and 13·4; Londonderry, 11·7 and 13·3; Limerick,

16·2 and 19·9; and Waterford, 22·8 and 22·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·9 per 1,000. Among the 151 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from typhus, 5 from measles, 7 from whooping-cough, and 5 from diarrheal diseases. in the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork is one from measles. Of the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick 3 are from measles. One of the 5 deaths from all causes for Newry is from whooping-cough, and the 3 deaths from all causes for Tralee include one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 156-81 boys

and 75 girls—and the deaths to 141—64 males and 77 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·3 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the seven weeks was 20.7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26.1.

The 135 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, one from measles, 8

from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, two from influenza, and 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of

children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 5, 2, and 2; deaths from whoopingcough, 4, 3, and 2; deaths from diphtheria, one, 0, and 0; deaths from influenza, one, one, and 2; and deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, 3, and 7 respectively. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 25 deaths (comprising 21 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 33, 26, and 9, respectively, in

the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 13 by pneumonia (comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

There were 2 accidental deaths (one being due to an accident on a railway). Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 36 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 29 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 135 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœa diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 16th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 14·2), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14·8 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·6 and for Edinburgh 14·1.

Infectious Diseases in Edinburgh.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 16th February. From this Report it appears that of 65 cases notified, 21 were diphtheria, 19 pulmonary tuberculosis, 9 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 scarlet fever, and 3 erysipelas. Among the 354 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 149 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 68 of diphtheria, 61 of scarlet fever, 22 of measles, 3 of erysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of puerperal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th February, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small*pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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Pembroke Urban District.	Jan. 26, Feb. 2, Feb. 9, Feb. 16,	•	4 3	•	1	•	•	2		:	•	2			3 1	•	_		1	4 7 7 1
Blackrock Urban District.	Jan. 26, Feb. 2, Feb. 9, Feb. 16,	•	6 1 8 1		:	•	•	1	•	•	•	•	•		_	•		:	•	6 1 8 3
Kingstown Urban District.	Jan. 26, Feb. 2, Feb. 9, Feb. 16,	•			•	•	•			•	•	1	•				-	•	•	1
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City of Cork.	Jan. 26, Feb. 2, Feb. 9, Feb. 16,	*	5 4 11	_	2	•	•		1	•	•	1 1 2	•		_		•	•		2 8 4 14
City of Londonderry	Jan. 26, Feb. 2, Feb. 9, Feb. 16,	•	_	_	•	•	•	1	•	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	1	1		_	_	1		_	_	3 2 1
City of Limerick.	Jan. 26, Feb. 2, Feb. 9, Feb. 16,				•			:		1	•		•	_	-					1
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 16th February, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever; 9 and 22; typhus one and one; measles 3 and 31; scarlet fever 5 and 33*; and diphtheria 12 and 20. Twelve cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week; and 30 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from each of diphtheria and pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

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and DEATHS

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1917, and that for Clasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1916. (b) See note (7) at foot of first page. ie's Point for Cork. The readings for Limenick are (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sirgo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. ngs at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Ne (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park, in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh supplied by Mungre; College, the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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in the Seventh Week, ending Saturday. 16th February, 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years 1913-17.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 16th February, 1918.

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TABLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 16th February, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever			41	35	39	5	11	•	33*
Diphtheria,	• •	• •	21	17	14	12	3	3	20
Pneumonia,	• •	• •	33	30	30	12	9	3	· 30

^{*} Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—
Nineteen Town Districts, 18·9 and 17·7; Dublin Registration Area, 20·3 and 18·1; Dublin City, 21·4 and 19·0; Belfast, 18·7 and 19·9; Cork, 15·6 and 14·4; Londonderry, 27·4 and 15·6; Limerick,

 $19 \cdot 0$ and $19 \cdot 6$; and Waterford, $15 \cdot 2$ and $19 \cdot 9$.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 141 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 4 from measles, 7 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhea and enteritis of One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is from whooping-cough, and a child under 2 years. the 7 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include one from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 192-94 boys

and 98 girls—and the deaths to 172—85 males and 87 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·5 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the eight weeks was 21·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·2.

The 155 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, 3 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, one from dysentery, and 3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 2, 2, and one; deaths from whoopingcough, 3, 2, and 8; deaths from diphtheria, 0, 0, and 2; and deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3, 7, and 3 respectively. There were no deaths from dysentery registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 33 deaths (comprising 30 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 26, 9, and 25, respectively, in the

three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 4 by simple meningitis, 15 by pneumonia (comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to diarrhœa and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility. There were 2 accidental deaths from burns (one being that of a child aged one year and ten

months).

Fifty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 34 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 155 deaths recorded, 70 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 23rd instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17·2), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16·7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·4 and for Edinburgh 12·8.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 23rd February. From this Report it appears that of 62 cases notified, 23 were diphtheria, 19 pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 scarlet fever, and 2 crysipelas. Among the 380 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 152 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 76 of diphtheria, 66 of scarlet fever, 25 of measles, 4 of crysipelas, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd February, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 23rd February, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 7 and 28; typhus nil and one; measles 9 and 28; scarlet fever 11 and 40*; and diphtheria 5 and 22. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 32 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 2 were from diphtheria.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 23rd February, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-montioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE General Classes and Elgitter Groups the Occupations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 23rd February, 1918: the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 23rd February, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertein)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd February, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever			35	39	33	11	4		40*					
Diphtheria,	• •	• •	17	14	20	5	1	2	22					
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^{*} Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·1 and 17·0; Dublin Registration Area, 18·7 and 17·8; Dublin City, 20·2 and 19·1; Belfast, 17·2 and 18·0; Cork, 17·0 and 13·8; Londonderry, 18·2 and 16·9; Limerick,

27·1 and 20·6; and Waterford, 5·7 and 16·2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.3 per 1,000. Among the 129 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from typhus, 6 from measles, 14 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis, The 25 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from measles, one from whooping-cough, and one (that of a child under 2 years) from diarrhœa and enteritis. One of the 20 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from measles. One of the 2 deaths Of the 5 deaths from all causes for Newry one is from whooping-cough. recorded for Wexford is from diphtheria, and the 5 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include one from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 162-76 boys

and 86 girls—and the deaths to 153—81 males and 72 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18.7 per 1,000 of the population. During the nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19.4 and was 5.4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the nine weeks was 20.8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26.3.

The 143 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 10 from

whooping-cough, one from influenza, and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 0, one and 0; deaths from measles 2, one, and one; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 8, and 3; deaths from influenza 2, 2, and 0; and deaths from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 7, 3, and 3 respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from

tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 9, 25, and 33, respec-

tively, in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 3 by simple meningitis, 13 by pneumonia (comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from lobar pneumonia), 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 15 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 4 were due to diarrhœa

and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility

There were 6 accidental deaths, 4 being due to inhalation of carbon dioxide gas, and one (that of

a child aged one year) was due to scalds. Forty-six of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 36 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 143 deaths recorded, 60 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhocal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 2nd instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 15.8), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15.7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.7 and for Edinburgh 14.6.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 2nd March. From this Report it appears that of 52 cases notified, 18 were searlet fever, 15 diphtheria, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, one puerperal fever, and one erysipelas. Among the 385 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 153 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 80 of diphtheria, 74 of scarlet fever, 26 of measles, 2 of erysipelas, 2 of whooping-cough, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of puerperal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd March, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 2nd March, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 29; typhus nil and one; measles 6 and 27; searlet fever 9 and 42*; and diphtheria 7 and 22. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted desired the mean and 22 consists of the deaths in hamital during the during the week and 33 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever, measles and diphtheria, and 2 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 2nd March, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Aumber of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Chasses and Etgineen Groups the Occupations of Social Parisons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 2nd March, 1918: the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes, of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI: - Dub'in Registration Area and Belfast City. -Computative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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TABLE VII.—Showing, by Registrans' Districts, the Number of Brefits and Deaths in the Cityes (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 2nd March, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Fersons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain A 3E Persons; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 2nd March, 1918

Districts:	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertsin)————————————————————————————————————	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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TAPLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd March, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks

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Scarlet Fever	39	33	40	9-	7		42•
Diphtheria,	14	20	22	7	6	1	22
Pneumonia,	30	30	32	6	3	2	33

^{*} Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

REGISTRATION DUBLIN AREA.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 23.5 and 19.2; Dublin Registration Area, 24.3 and 20.2; Dublin City, 25.8 and 21.4; Belfast, 25.7 and 20.4; Cork, 21.1 and 16.5; Londonderry, 19.6 and 19.2; Limerick,

27·1 and 22·3; and Waterford, 13·3 and 14·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.9 per 1,000. Among the 194 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from typhus, 4 from measles, 20 from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. The 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry include one from enteric fever, and of the 4 deaths from all causes for Newry one is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 227-120 boys

and 107 girls—and the deaths to 201—100 males and 101 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the ten weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 19·9 and was 4·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the ten weeks was 21·4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·3.

The 186 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, one from measles, 2 from

whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered one, 0 and one; deaths from measles one, one, and 2; deaths from whooping-cough, 8, 3, and 10; deaths from diphtheria, 2, 2, and 0; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3, 3, and 4, and deaths from influenza 2, 0, and one respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 45 deaths (comprising 29 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 from tuberculous meningitis, and 10 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 25, 33, and 24, respectively, in the three

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 20 by pneumonia (comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 18 by organic diseases of the heart, and 21 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to simple meningitis, 3 to diarrheea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital

debility.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 186 deaths recorded, 72 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 9th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17.5), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16.7 per 1.000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.6 and for Edinburgh 11.7.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 9th March. From this Report it appears that of 64 cases notified, 19 were scarlet fever, 17 pulmonary tuberculosis. 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 diphtheria. 3 erysipelas, one puerperal fever, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 404 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 156 of pulmonary tuberculosis. 85 of diphtheria, 81 of scarlet fever, 22 of measles, 2 of puerperal fever, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of whooping-cough, one of erysipelas, and one of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th March, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 9th March, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 28; typhus nil and one; measles 7 and 26; scarlet fever 10 and 42*; and diphtheria 4 and 19. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 27 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 2 were from enteric fever, one from each of scarlet fever and diphtheria, and 6 were from pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 9th March, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area and in oach of the under mentioned 18 Urable Rainfall for the Week; Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Census of 1917, and that for Gasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1917, and that for Gasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in Farmagh and Probabilities from which Returns are received have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limcrick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Proenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Garden, Glasanevin.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE VI:— Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 9th March, 1918

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertsin)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th March, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Small-pox,	• •		: •	•			,	
Measles,	• 4	31	28	27	7	. 8		26
Scarlet Fever		33	40	42	10	9	1	42*
Diphtheria,		20	22	22	4	6	1	19
Pneumonia,	**	30	32	33	11	11	6	27

^{*} Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 21·7 and 20·3; Dublin Registration Area, 22·0 and 21·3; Dublin City, 21·4 and 22·2; Belfast, 25·2 and 21·7; Cork, 27·2 and 20·2; Londonderry, 14·3 and 19·9; Limerick,

12·2 and 21·3; and Waterford, 20·9 and 13·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·1 per 1,000. Among the 190 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 6 from measles, 19 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 40 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from measles. Of the 11 deaths from all causes for Londonderry 2 are from diarrhead diseases. One of the 2 deaths for Dundalk is from enteric fever. Included in the 3 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is one from whooping-cough. Among the 5 deaths from all causes for Portadown is one from diphtheria, and of the 10 deaths from all causes for Ballymena 2 are from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 161-90 boys

and 71 girls—and the deaths to 179—83 males and 96 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22.0 per 1,000 of the population. During the eleven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged $20\cdot 1$ and was $4\cdot 7$ below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the eleven weeks was 21.6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26.2.

The 168 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered one, 2 and one; deaths from whooping-cough, 3, 10, and 2; and deaths from influenza 0, one, and 3, respectively. There were no deaths from scarlet fever registered during the preceding 3 weeks.

 ${\bf Tuberculous\ disease\ caused\ 32\ deaths\ (comprising\ 25\ from\ pulmonary\ tuberculous\ , 3\ from\ tuberculous\)}$ meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 33, 24, and 45, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 4 by simple meningitis, 18 by pneumonia (comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 21 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to convulsions, 2 to simple meningitis,

one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

There were 4 violent deaths, including one caused by a motor-ear. Fifty of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 168 deaths recorded, 58 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III: and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 16th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17.8), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16.6 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.0 and for Edinburgh 11.4.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 16th March. From this Report it appears that of 75 cases notified, 40 were searlet fever, 15 pulmonary tuberculosis. 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 12 diphtheria, one erysipelas, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 454 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 164 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 113 of scarlet fever, 84 of diphtheria, 17 of measles, 2 of erysipelas, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of whooping-cough, one of puerperal fever, and one of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th March, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 16th March, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 28; measles 12 and 28; scarlet fever 9 and 41*; and diphtheria 5 and 21. Sixteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 41 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of scarlet fever and pneumonia.

Table II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 16th March, 1918, in the Dublin Rights and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births. Deaths and Meteorology in London. Edinburch and Glassow.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Elgurean Groups the Occupations of Social Postrion of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 16th March, 1918: the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Balfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 16th March, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever,	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 16th March, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases.	Feb. 23.	Mar. 2.	Mar. 9.	No. admitted	Dis charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
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Measles,	28	27	26	12	10		28
Scarlet Fever	40	∵ 42	42	. 9	9	1	41*
Diphtheria,	22	22	19	5	3		21
Pneumonia,	32	33	27	16	1	1	41

^{*} Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 24.8 and 21.8; Dublin Registration Area 27.8 and 23.2; Dublin City, $31\cdot4$ and $24\cdot7$; Belfast $25\cdot9$ and $23\cdot5$; Cork, $32\cdot6$ and $24\cdot5$; Londonderry, $13\cdot0$ and $16\cdot3$; Limerick,

16.2 and 20.6; and Waterford, 17.1 and 14.3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 3·1 per 1,000. Among the 195 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 9 from measles, 20 from whooping-cough, and 3 from diarrhœal diseases. The 48 deaths from all causes for Cork include 7 from measles. The only death registered for Ballymena is from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 221-119 boys

and 102 girls—and the deaths to 221—109 males and 112 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 27.8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twelve weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20.7 and was 4.1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twelve weeks was 22·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·3.

The 213 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 11 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 10 from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years,

one from croup, and 4 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks enteric fever numbered one, one, and 0; deaths from measles 2, one, and one; deaths from whooping-cough, 10, 2, and 6; deaths from diphtheria, 0, 2, and 0; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 4, 3, and 0; and deaths from influenza one, 3, and one, respectively. There were no deaths from croup registered during the preceding 3 weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 35 deaths (comprising 30 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous

meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 24, 45, and 32, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 21 by pneumonia (comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 26 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to simple meningitis, 7 to diarrhæa and

enteritis. 2 to congenital malformations, 5 to premature birth, and 9 to congenital debility.

There were 2 violent deaths, one being caused by burns and one by drowning.

Seventy-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 43 being infants under one year, of whom 15 were under one month old, and 54 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 50 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 213 deaths recorded, 74 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions. Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts

will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal

diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 16th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17.8), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16.6 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week ended 23rd instant for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.9 and for Edinburgh 14.6.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 23rd March. From this Report it appears that of 72 cases notified, 30 were scarlet fever, 18 diphtheria, 15 pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, and 2 erysipelas. Among the 465 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 164 of pulmonary tuberculosis. 132 of scarlet fever. 76 of diphtheria, 20 of measles, 3 of erysipelas, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of whooping-cough, and one of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd March, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 23rd March, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatmen at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 5 and 27; measles 17 and 39; scarlet fever 9 and 44*; and diphtheria 9 and 23. Nineteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 48 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of measles and diphtheria, and 5 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at toot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 23rd March, 1918, in the Dublin Registration and in each of the under-montioned 18 Unark Districts, the Number of Deaths, the Number of Districts, the Number of Districts, the Number of Districts, the Construction of Persons admitted from other Districts, the Condon, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry. The population given is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1916. (b) See note (t) at foot of first page.

(c) It havings been found impracticable to obtain Mercorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases. The readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lungan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. Phone By Phonix Park. (e) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square.

(g) Observations by Sir Frederick to the week ended 16th instant. (h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Week ended 23kd March, 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registraars Distracts in the Dubbin Registration Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Dispases*: with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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Table VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areae.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 23rd March, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd March, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks

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Diseases.			Mar. 2.	Mar. 9.	Mar. 16.	No. admitted	Dis charged.	Died.	No under treatment at close of week.
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Measles,			27.	26	28	17	. 5	1 1	39
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Diphtheria,	• •	• •	22	19	21	9 .	6	5 1	23
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^{*} Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 21·1 and 22·8; Dublin Registration Area 20·3 and 23·6; Dublin City, 21.4 and 25.0; Belfast 23.5 and 25.1; Cork, 27.9 and 27.2; Londonderry, 22.2 and 17.3; Limerick,

19·0 and 18·6; and Waterford, 28·5 and 20·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week. were equal to an annual rate of $2 \cdot 1$ per 1,000. Among the 177 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 14 from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhee and enteritis of children under 2 years; and the 41 deaths from all causes for Cork include 6 from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 142-65 boys

and 77 girls—and the deaths to 169—80 males and 89 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·7 and was 4·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirteen weeks was 22·2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·3.

The 155 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 5 from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered one, 0, and one; deaths from measles one, one, and 5; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 6, and 11; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3, 0, and 10; and deaths from influenza 3, one, and 4, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 36 deaths (comprising 28 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous

meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 45, 32, and 35, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 3 by simple meningitis, 18 by pneumonia (comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to simple meningitis, 4 to diarrhea and

enteritis, one to congenital malformation, and 5 to congenital debility

There were 5 violent deaths, one (that of a child aged 4 years) being caused by scalds, and one

(that of a child aged one year) by suffocation in bed.

Fifty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 28 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 13 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 155 deaths recorded, 66 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 30th ultimo in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.7), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16.1 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.5 and for Edinburgh 12.7.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 30th March. From this Report it appears that of 59 cases notified. 19 were scarlet fever. 19 diphtheria, 10 pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, and 5 erysipelas. Among the 460 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 157 of pulmonary tuberculosis. 136 of scarlet fever, 75 of diphtheria, 14 of measles, 7 of erysipelas. 3 of whooping-cough, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 30th March, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrhogal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 30th March, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 26; typhus 3 and 3: measles 18 and 53; scarlet fever 10 and 39*; and diphtheria 6 and 23. Twelve cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 44 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever, measles and pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 30th March, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology, in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Week ended 30th March, 1918, the number of Besidents of the several Registrards Districts in the Dorth Fordenic Dispasses. with the Morbality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the principal parths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. --Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous Table VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. --Comparative Table of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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TABLE VII.—Showing, by Registrars' Districts, the Number of Births and Deaths in the Ctites (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 30th March, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted, with the Annual, Rate* of Montality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain A be Errode: the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 30th March, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th March, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns

OF

BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

AND IN EIGHTEEN OF THE PRINCIPAL URBAN DISTRICTS IN IRELAND.

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No. 13A

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin, and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 30th March, 1918, 2,325 births—1,179 boys and 1,146 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 23·3 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 1,942, equivalent to an annual rate of 25.5 in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 383, equal to an annual rate of 16.3 in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of $17 \cdot 1$ per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth rate was $20 \cdot 5$ per 1,000, and in Edinburgh $12 \cdot 5$ per 1,000.

DEATHS.—Omitting the deaths (151) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 2,055, were equivalent to an annual rate of 20·6 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 24·7. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 2,206—1,088 males and 1,118 females—affording an annual ratio of 22·1 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 26·2 per 1,000 for the first quarter of the ten years, 1908-1917.

The number of deaths of inhabitants* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 838, representing an annual mortality of 20·7 in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 815, equivalent to a rate of 22·8 per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 402, being equal to an annual death-rate of 17·1 in every 1,000.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 18.6 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 14.5 per 1,000, of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 13.7 per 1,000.

*The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

CAUSES OF DEATH IN DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

The number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* registered in the Dublin Registration Area during last quarter was 174, being equal to an annual rate of 1.74 per 1,000 of the population.

ENTERIC FEVER.—The number of fatal cases of enteric fever registered during the 13 weeks ended 30th March last was 8, as compared with 5, 5 and 9 respectively, in the three preceding quarters and an average of 10 for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17. Of the 8 deaths, 4 belonged to North City districts, 3 to South City districts, and one death was that of a person admitted to an institution from a locality outside the Dublin Registration Area. From Table I. it will be seen that the number of cases of enteric fever under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter was 72; of these, 41 were discharged, 5 died, and 26 remained under treatment at the close of the period.

Typhus.—As in the preceding quarter, no deaths from this disease were recorded; 4 cases of the disease were, however, admitted to hospital during the quarter just ended, and of the 4 cases one was discharged and 3 remained under treatment at the end of the quarter.

SMALL-POX.—No case of this disease was reported.

MEASLES.—This cause accounted for 38 deaths, as against 93, 8 and 26, respectively, in the three preceding quarters, and an average of 47 for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17. Of the 38 deaths, 18 appertained to North City districts, 16 to South City districts, one to Rathmines and Rathgar, one to Blackrock, and 2 to Kingstown. Of the cases under treatment in hospitals (156), 96 were discharged 7 died, and 53 remained under treatment at the close of the quarter.

SCARLET FEVER.—Four deaths from scarlet fever were recorded, the average for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17, being 7. The cases under treatment in Dublin hospitals numbered 151, and of these, 108 were discharged, 4 died, and 39† remained under treatment at the end of the period.

WHOOPING-COUGH.—Deaths from whooping-cough, which in the three preceding quarters numbered 23, 21 and 21, respectively, rose to 60 (equivalent to an annual rate of 0.60 per 1,000 of the population) during the past quarter, the 60 deaths being 19 above the average (41) for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17. To North City districts 39 deaths were referred, to South City districts 16, to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district 4, and to Pembroke one death. Of the deaths from whooping-cough recorded for North City districts, 13 appertained to the district of North City No. 1 West, 10 to No. 2 North and 9 to No. 3 North City district.

DIPHTHERIA.—Eleven deaths were assigned to this disease, being 5 under the average (16) for the first quarter of the five years preceding, the deaths from diphtheria in the second, third and fourth

quarters of 1917 numbering respectively 6, 9 and 16.

Of the 11 deaths, 5 appertained to North City districts, 3 to South City districts, one to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, and 2 deaths were those of persons admitted to institutions from localities

outside the Registration Area.

Table I. shows that 85 cases of the disease were under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter, that 51 were discharged, that 11 died, and that 23 remained under treatment at its close.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—To this group were assigned the deaths of 51 children under 2 years of age from diarrhea and enteritis, as compared with an average of 55 for the first quarter of the five years preceding. Of the 51 deaths, 20 appertained to North City districts, 23 to South City districts, 7 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, and one to Pembroke.

Influenza.—The number of deaths from influenza was 20, as compared with 13, 2 and 2, respectively in the three preceding quarters and an average of 50 for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17.

CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.—During the quarter only one fatal case of this disease was recorded, the numbers in the three preceding quarters being 2, 2 and one respectively.

Tuberculosis.—There were 397 deaths from all forms of the disease (comprising 310 deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis, 35 from tuberculous meningitis, 19 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 33 from other forms of the disease) registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter.

These 397 deaths, equivalent to an annual rate of 3.98 per 1,000 of the population, are 3 under the

average (400) for the corresponding period of the five years preceding.

For the city 308 deaths from tuberculosis were recorded, equivalent to an annual rate of 4.04 per 1,000 of the population, the deaths for the North City districts numbering 152 (or 3.75 per 1,000), and for the South City districts 156 (or 4.36 per 1,000).

The deaths for the urban districts, which, with the city, comprise the Registration Area, amounted to 57 and afford an annual rate of 2.43 per 1,000 of the population. For Rathmines and Rathgar urban district the deaths from tuberculous disease numbered 20 (or $2\cdot04$ per 1,000), for Pembroke 15 (or $2\cdot05$ per 1.000), for Blackrock 9 (or 4.04 per 1,000), and for Kingstown the deaths from this disease amounted to 13, being equivalent to an annual rate of 3.15 per 1,000 of the population.

CANCER.—The deaths under this heading, comprising fatal cases of carcinoma, sarcoma, and cancer, malignant disease, numbered 132, and afford an annual rate of 1:32 per 1,000 of the population. In the three preceding quarters deaths from cancer were 143, 110 and 120, respectively, and in the first quarter of the five preceding years the average number was 119.

^{*} See note (*) page 130d.

[†] See note (*) at foot of Table I.

PNEUMONIA.—To this title were assigned 191 deaths (including 102 from broncho-pneumonia, 27 from lobar pneumonia, and 62 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as compared with an average of 235 for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17. The annual rate represented by the 191 deaths is 1.91 per 1,000 of the population.

DISEASES OF THE BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM.—The deaths under this heading amounted to 204 (equal to an annual rate of 2.05 per 1,000 of the population), as against 216, 163, and 179 in the three preceding quarters, and an average of 257 for the first quarter of the five preceding years. Included in the 204 deaths are 27 from convulsions, 26 of the latter being those of children under 5 years of age.

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.—There were 218 deaths from these diseases, affording an annual rate of 2·19 per 1,000 of the population, and include 190 deaths from organic diseases of the heart. For the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17, the average number of deaths from diseases of the circulatory system was 253.

Bronchitis.—Deaths from bronchitis, numbering 267, are equivalent to an annual rate of 2.68 per 1,000 of the population, and are 143 under the average (410) for the first quarter of the five years, 1913-17.

Congenital Conditions.—To congenital malformations 12 deaths were ascribed, to premature birth 43 deaths, and to congenital debility 59 deaths.

VIOLENCE.—Included in this group are 12 deaths (8 being those of children under 5 years of age) caused by burns or scalds, 6 by drowning, 5 by vehicles or horses, 4 by poisoning (carbon dioxide) and 2 deaths of infants by suffocation in bed. One death was ascribed to a railway accident, one resulted from an accident during building operations, and one death was that of a soldier caused by wounds received in battle. There were 4 cases of suicide.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 30th March, 1918.

Diseases.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER	20	52 4 130 101 71 135	41 1 96 108 51 89	5 4	26 3 53 39* 23 44

^{*} Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the convalescent home of Cork-street Fever Hospital.

In 68 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 68 cases, 29 (or $42 \cdot 6$ per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 108 infants under one month old registered, there were 17 (or $15 \cdot 7$ per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table III., page 130f, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases† in the Dublin Registration Area was $1\cdot7$ per 1,000, that in the City it was $2\cdot0$, and in the urban districts $0\cdot9$, the rates for the several districts varying from $0\cdot0$ in Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of, to $3\cdot4$ in North City, No. 1, West, the 257 deaths from all causes for that district including one from enteric fever, 7 from measles, 13 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 10 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

OCCUPATIONS.—From Table IV., page 130g, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of $20 \cdot 7$ per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was $14 \cdot 9$ per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was $17 \cdot 4$; and in the "General Service Class" it was $22 \cdot 0$.

AGES.—Of the 2,206 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 609 were under 5 years of age, including 329 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 142 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of $59 \cdot 5$ in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of $6 \cdot 4$ per 1,000 persons at that age-period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of $6 \cdot 7$ per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of $17 \cdot 8$ per 1,000 of the population at that age-period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was $9 \cdot 6$; for those between 45 and 65 it was $34 \cdot 1$; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was $78 \cdot 0$; and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death rate was $157 \cdot 4$ per 1,000. The deaths of 17 persons aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

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Public Institutions.—Of the 2,206 deaths recorded during the quarter, 923, or 41·8 per cent., occurred in public institutions, viz., 565 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums; 136 in the North Dublin Union Workhouse; 213 in the South Dublin Union Workhouse; and 9 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

Weather.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phænix Park, was $43\cdot4^{\circ}$. At Greenwich, it was $42\cdot1^{\circ}$; at Glasgow, $40\cdot3^{\circ}$; and at Edinburgh, $40\cdot4^{\circ}$.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured 4.80 inches; at Greenwich, 4.65 inches; at Glasgow, 10.78 inches; and at Edinburgh, 5.13 inches.

NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table II., the annual death-rate represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 19·8 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Galway, 9·7; Clonmel, 11·0; Dundalk, 11·3; Drogheda, 14·7; Ballymena, 14·8; Sligo, 15·0; Newry, 15·7; Lurgan, 16·6; Londonderry, 16·9; Wexford, 17·3; Lisburn, 18·1; Waterford, 18·5; Tralee, 18·6; Cork, 18·9; Portadown, 19·1; Limerick, 20·4; Dublin Registration Area, 20·6; Belfast, 21·1; and Kilkenny, 22·1.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* in the 19 districts is 1.9 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0.0 in Galway and Clonmel to 3.3 in Limerick, the 196 deaths from all causes for that district including 2 from enteric fever, 26 from measles, 2 from diphtheria, and two from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

The following is a synopsis of the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases* in the eighteen provincial urban districts already named, and Tables II. and V. give in detail the results of the registration for the quarter:—

ENTERIC FEVER.—Ten deaths from this disease were recorded, comprising 5 for Belfast, 2 for Limerick, and one death each for Cork, Londonderry and Dundalk.

Typhus.—Three deaths from typhus were recorded for Belfast.

SMALL-POX.—There was no mortality from this cause.

Measles.—Of 129 deaths from measles, 72 appertained to Belfast, 26 to Limerick, 18 to Cork, 7 to Kilkenny, 4 to Ballymena, and one death each to Dundalk and Lurgan.

SCARLET FEVER.—The 4 deaths from scarlet fever belonged to Belfast.

Whooping-cough.—There were 150 deaths from this disease in Belfast, 4 in Newry, 3 each in Cork and Lisburn, and 2 in Drogheda.

DIPHTHERIA.—Nineteen deaths from diphtheria were recorded, including 11 belonging to Belfast, 2 to Limerick, and one death each to Cork, Lurgan, Lisburn, Portadown, Wexford and Tralee.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age numbered 40, and of these 25 belonged to Belfast, 4 each to Cork and Waterford, and 2 each to London-derry and Limerick.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis.—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was $2\cdot 6$ per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was $2\cdot 9$ per 1,000, for Belfast county borough $2\cdot 6$ per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast), it was $2\cdot 4$ per 1,000. (See Table II.).

^{*} Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whocping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoad diseases.

TABLE II.—Births and Deaths Registered during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 30th March, 1913, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), with the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

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Nineteen Town Districts, 23·6 and 22·8; Dublin Registration Area, 21·8 and 23·0; Dublin City,
23·2 and 24·3; Belfast 26·1 and 25·2; Cork, 26·5 and 28·5; Londonderry, 18·2 and 16·9; Limerick,
20·3 and 16·9; and Waterford, 24·7 and 22·8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week
were equal to an annual rate of 2·6 per 1,000. Among the 197 deaths from all causes for Belfast are
2 from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 9 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from
diarrhoeal diseases. The 39 deaths from all causes for Cork include 10 from measles, 3 from
whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Among the 15 deaths
from all causes for Limerick is one from each of enteric fever, diphtheria, and diarrhoea. from all causes for Limerick is one from each of enteric fever, diphtheria, and diarrhoea.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 184—87 boys.

and 97 girls—and the deaths to 181—91 males and 90 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21.8 per 1,000 of the population. During the fourteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 20·8 and was 4·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1968–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the fourteen weeks was 22·3 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·3.

The 167 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 14 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2

years.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 0, one, and one; deaths from measles, one, 5, and 2; deaths from whooping-cough, 6, 11, and 5; deaths from diphtheria, 0, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 0, 10, and 4.

Tuberculous disease caused 30 deaths (comprising 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 32, 35, and 36, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 7 by pneumonia (comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 17 by organic diseases of the heart, and 23 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 3 to diarrhœa and enteritis,

one to congenital malformation, 3 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

There were 4 violent deaths, 3 having been caused accidentally, including one death attributed to

an irritant poison, and one was a case of suicide.

Fifty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 167 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 30th ultimo in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.7), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16.1 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for the week ended 6th instant for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13.3 and for Edinburgh 12.4.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 6th April. From this Report it appears that of 77 cases notified. 25 were searlet fever. 22 diphtheria, 14 pulmonary tuberculosis, 14 other forms of tuberculosis, and 2 crysipelas. Among the 471 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 158 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 151 of searlet fever, 75 of diphtheria, 14 of measles, 9 of crysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 6th April, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS:

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 6th April, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respect vely, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 22; typhus one and 4; measles 8 and 38; searlet fever 14 and 44*; and diphtheria 7 and 23. Nineteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 52 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 2 were from each of enteric fever and diphtheria, and there was one from pneumonia.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 6th April, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glassow.

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(h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Week ended of the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrars Districts in the Dustin Registrary from the principal Rollenic Dispasses*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods and the number of Uncertified Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the decented were admitted.

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* See note (†) at foot of first page.

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Report on the Census have been pro returned aroust they most probabily belonged). WORKHOUSES, not included in above, Clothing Trades, Food Supply Trades, Other Trades and Gal with Trades, Army, Police, Postal Rank and GENERAL SERVICE CLASS PERSONS otherwise described, Services, &cc. Shopkeepera, PROFESSIONAE ÁND 1 Clerical, Medica Persons of 10 Prison Petty INMATES MIDDLE 9016 13. 14 5.5. 8 IV H H THEA

TABLE VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 6th April, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 6th April, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Measles,	•*•		28	39	53	8	23		38
Scarlet Fever			. 41	44	39	14	9		44*
Diphtheria,	• •	**	21	23	23	7	5	2	23
Pneumonia,	• •		41	48	44	19	10	1	52

^{*} Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 23·3 and 23·2; Dublin Registration Area, 24·0 and 23·5; Dublin City, 24·4 and 25·1; Belfast, 24·1 and 24·9; Cork, 32·0 and 29·7; Londonderry, 19·6 and 18·3; Limerick, 20·3 and 19·0; and Waterford, 7·6 and 19·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.7 per 1,000. Among the 182 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 20 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under two years, and 2 from cerebro-spinal meningitis. The 47 deaths from all causes for Cork include 10 from measles, and one from whooping-cough, and one of the 8 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 158-76 boys

and 82 girls—and the deaths to 193—92 males and 101 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24.0 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 21.0 and was 3.8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifteen weeks was 22.5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26.3.

The 184 deaths appertaining to the Area include 3 from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 9 from whooping-cough, 2 from influenza, and 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered one, one, and one; deaths from measles, 5, 2, and 2; deaths from whooping-cough, 11, 5, and 14; deaths from influenza, 4, 2, and 0; and deaths from diarrhou and enteritis of children under 2 years, 10, 4, and 3 respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 36 deaths (comprising 26 from pulmonary tuberculous, 6 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 35, 36, and 30, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 17 by pneumonia (comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 30 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 6 were due to convulsions, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis,

4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility. There was one violent death.

Fifty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 47 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 184 deaths recorded, 74 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 13th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17·3), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 16·1 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·2 and for Edinburgh 12·2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 13th April. From this Report it appears that of 51 cases notified, 21 were scarlet fever. 12 diphtheria, 12 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, and one erysipelas. Among the 464 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 164 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 149 of scarlet fever, 79 of diphtheria, 11 of measles, 6 of whooping-cough, 4 of erysipelas, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 13th April, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 13th April, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 15; typhus nil and 4; measles 14 and 41; scarlet fever 7 and 50*; and diphtheria 6 and 25. Nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 52 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from enteric fever and 2 were from pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 13th April, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-montioned 18 Urban Districts, (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow. TABLE

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It lavument of more found in far and population in 1917. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. It lavument of more found in far and population in 1917. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It lavument of more found in far and population in 1917. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It lavument of more found in far and population in 1917. (c) See note (f) at foot of first page. (d) Observations at Amage have been adopted for Lugan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Cffice, Phorix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Bightreen Groups the Occupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration And the Veneral Death Saturday, 13th April, 1918; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 13th April, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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TABLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 13th April, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases,	Mar. 23.	Mar. 30.	Apr. 6.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
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Measles,	39	53	38	14 ·	11		41
Scarlet Fever	44	39	44	7.	1	0"	50*
Diphtheria,	23	23	23	6	4		25
Pneumonia,	48	44	52	9	7	2	52

^{*} Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, $21 \cdot 8$ and $22 \cdot 5$; Dublin Registration Area, $22 \cdot 3$ and $22 \cdot 1$; Dublin City, $24 \cdot 4$ and $23 \cdot 3$; Belfast $25 \cdot 1$ and $24 \cdot 7$; Cork, $23 \cdot 8$ and $27 \cdot 5$; Londonderry, $15 \cdot 6$ and $18 \cdot 9$; Limerick,

8·1 and 16·9; and Waterford, 19·0 and 20·0.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.6 per 1,000. Among the 189 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 16 from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under two years, and the 35 deaths from all causes for Cork include 11 from measles, and one from diarrhea and enteritis of a child under two years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 258-129 boys

and 129 girls—and the deaths to 192—95 males and 97 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 21) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22.3 per 1,000 of the population. During the sixteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 21·1 and was 3·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the sixteen weeks was 22.6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26.3.

The 171 deaths appertaining to the Area include 6 from measles, 11 from whooping-cough, 2 from

influenza, and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 2, 2, and 2; deaths from whooping-cough, 5, 14, and 9; deaths from influenza, 2, 0, and 2; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 4, 3, and 3 respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 20 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 36, 30, and 36, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 11 by pneumonia (comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 6 were due to diarrhœa and enteritis, one to congenital

malformation, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

There were 3 accidental deaths (one being that of a child aged 3 years caused by burns), and one

death by suicide was also registered.

Fifty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 171 deaths recorded, 68 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 20th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16·1), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15·4 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·1 and for Edinburgh 12·5

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 20th April. From this Report it appears that of 50 cases notified, 16 were scarlet fever. 13 pulmonary tuberculosis. 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 10 diphtheria, and 4 crysipelas. Among the 464 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 161 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 145 of scarlet fever, 73 of diphtheria, 21 of measles, 6 of whooping-cough, 5 of crysipelas, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 20th April, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus,	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough,	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber-	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 20th April, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 11; typhus nil and 3; measles 22 and 35; scarlet fever 12 and 44*; and diphtheria 4 and 27. Nineteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 46 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from measles, one was from scarlet fever and 3 were from pneumonia.

II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 20th April, 1918, in the Dublin Registered and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABE IV.—Showing for the Week ender 20rf April, 1918, the number of Deares of Residents of the several Registraters in the Districts and the annual Rute Districts represented thereby, and by the Districts from the principal Evidence Districts from which the decased were admitted of the principal causes; also the Death's at certain age-periods and the number of Uncertified Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the decased were admitted.

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TABLE VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 20th April, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 20th April, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Typhus,	• •	• •	3	4	4	•	1	•	3
Small-pox,		• •	•	•	•	•		•	
Measles,		• •	53	38	41	22	25	3	35
Scarlet Fever		• •	39	44	50	12	17	1	44*
Diphtheria,	• •	• •	23	23	25	4	2	•	27
Pneumonia,	• •	• •	44	52	52	19	22	3	46

^{*} Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes apportaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 20·1 and 22·2; Dublin Registration Area, 20·8 and 22·2; Dublin City, 21·9 and 23·5; Belfast 19·5 and 23·7; Cork, 29·9 and 28·0; Londonderry, 16·9 and 17·6; Limerick,

6.8 and 13.9; and Waterford, 19.0 and 17.6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·4 per 1,000. Among the 147 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 14 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrheal diseases. The 44 deaths from all causes for Cork include 9 from measles and one from whooping-cough, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Drogheda is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 150-72 boys

and 78 girls—and the deaths to 180—83 males and 97 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 21) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20.8 per 1,000 of the population. During the seventeen weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 21.0 and was 3.6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the seventeen weeks was 22.7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·0.

The 159 deaths appertaining to the Area include 4 from measles, 7 from whooping-cough, 3 from

influenza, and 5 from diarrhœal diseases.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 2, 2, and 6; deaths from whoopingcough, 14, 9, and 11; deaths from influenza, 0, 2, and 2; and deaths from diarrhocal diseases, 3, 3, and 6, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 30 deaths (comprising 24 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 30, 36, and 31, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 5 by broncho-pneumonia, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to diarrhœa and enteritis, 2 to congenital

malformations, 3 to premature birth, and 8 to congenital debility.

There were 2 accidental deaths, one being that of a child aged 2 years caused by burns.

Forty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 30 were 70 years of age or over

Of the 159 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 27th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17.5), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15.9 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.4 and for Edinburgh 13.3

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 27th April. From this Report it appears that of 37 cases notified, 16 were scarlet fever, 7 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 7 diphtheria, and 2 erysipelas. Among the 433 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 159 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 130 of scarlet fever, 66 of diphtheria, 16 of measles, 7 of whooping-cough, 4 of erysipelas, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstewn), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 27th April, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 27th April, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 8; typhus one and one; measles 48 and 71; scarlet fever 8 and 47*; and diphtheria 2 and 23. Fourteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 49 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from measles.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 27th April, 1918, in the Dublin Registered Area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population is that foot of first page.

(c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Mercorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lugan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Linearick are surplied by Mungret College.

(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park.

(e) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzvilliam Squarc.

(f) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Week ended 27th Apart, 1918, the number of Draths of Residents of the several Registrates Diseases*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Constitutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE VI: - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. --Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

Table VII.—Showing, by Recismans' Districts, the Number of Birthes and Deaths in the Critics (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 27th April, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the deaths in Institutions distributed according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain A 4E PERIODS; the Number of Uncertified Deaths. &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 27th April, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total:
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 27th April, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

	No. of Cas	es in Hospit f week ende	al at close d	W	eek ended 2	7th April.	
Diseases.	Apr. 6.	Apr. 13.	Apr. 20.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died:	No. under treatment at close of week.
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Measles,	38	41	35	48	9	3	71
Scarlet Fever	, 44	50	44	8	5	• .	47*
Diphtheria,	23	25	. 27	· 2	6	t	23
Pneumonia,	52	52	46	14	. 11	•	49

^{*} Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 19·4 and 21·1; Dublin Registration Area, 18·6 and 21·4; Dublin City, 17·9 and 22·1; Belfast 23·1 and 22·9; Cork, 16·3 and 25·5; Londonderry, 11·7 and 16·0; Limerick,

21.7 and 14.2; and Waterford, 9.5 and 13.8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.7 per 1,000. Among the 174 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 6 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 23 from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrheal diseases. The 24 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from measles. Three of the 9 deaths from all causes for Lurgan are from whooping-cough. Of the 4 deaths from all causes for Drogheda one is from whooping-cough, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Sligo is due to

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 221-114 boys

and 107 girls—and the deaths to 165—74 males and 91 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 23) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the eighteen weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.9 and was 3.5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the eighteen weeks was 22.6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25.9.

The 142 deaths appertaining to the Area include 6 from measles, 6 from whooping-cough, and 5

from diarrhoeal diseases

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 2, 6, and 4; deaths from whooping-cough, 9, 11, and 7; and deaths from diarrhæal diseases, 3, 6, and 5, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (comprising 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 36, 31, and 30, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 10 by p. eumonia (comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 11 by

organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 2 to diarrhea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

There were 2 accidental deaths, one being caused by burns.

There were 2 activations described the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 43 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 35 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 142 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 4th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 14.9), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14.7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.0 and for Edinburgh 14.4

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 4th May. From this Report it appears that of 48 cases notified, 19 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 14 scarlet fever, 6 diphtheria, and 3 erysipelas. Among the 420 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 157 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 120 of scarlet fever, 55 of diphtheria, 29 of measles, 6 of whooping-cough, 5 of erysipelas, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 4th May, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts	Week ending	Small pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 4th May, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 8; typhus nil and one; measles 33 and 80; scarlet fever 8 and 44*; and diphtheria 7 and 23. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 46 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from measles 2 from pneumonia and one from scarlet fever.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the wook ending Saturday, 4th May, 1918, in the DUBLIN AREA and in each of the under mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.— Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 4th May, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 4th May, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases,	Apr. 13.	Apr. 20.	Apr. 27.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close or week.
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Measles,	 41	35	71	33	21	3	80
Scarlet Fever .	 50	44	47	8	10	1	44*
Diphtheria,	 25	27	23	7	7	•	23
Pneumonia, .	 52	46	49	11	12	2	46

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 20·5 and 20·4; Dublin Registration Area, 21·4 and 20·8; Dublin City, 22·4 and 21·6; Belfast 20·3 and 22·0; Cork, 18·4 and 22·1; Londonderry, 16·9 and 15·3; Limerick,

25.7 and 15.6; and Waterford, 13.3 and 15.2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of $2 \cdot 2$ per 1,000. Among the 153 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 13 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœal diseases. The 27 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from measles. One of the 13 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from enteric fever. Included in the 19 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from dysentery. Two of the 6 deaths from all causes for Dundalk are from enteric fever, and one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 183-93 boys

and 90 girls—and the deaths to 179—90 males and 89 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21.4 per 1,000 of the population. During the nineteen weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.9 and was 3.5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the nineteen weeks was 22.7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25.9.

The 164 deaths appertaining to the Area include 9 from measles, 10 from whooping-cough, one

from influenza, and 3 from diarrhocal diseases.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 6, 4, and 6; deaths from whoopingcough, 11, 7, and 6; deaths from influenza 2, 3, and 0; and deaths from diarrhocal diseases, 6, 5, and 5, respectively.

meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 31, 30, and 19, respectively, in the three

Six deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 14 by pneumonia (comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 19 by organic diseases of the heart, and 15 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to convulsions, 2 to diarrhora and enteritis, 7 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

There were 3 accidental deaths, one being caused by burns and one by drowning.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 43 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 30 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 164 deaths recorded, 67 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 11th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 14.7), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15.0 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20·1 and for Edinburgh 10·2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 11th May. From this Report it appears that of 43 cases notified, 17 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 scarlet fever, 6 diphtheria, and 2 crysipelas. Among the 385 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 162 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 107 of scarlet fever, 40 of diphtheria, 18 of measles, 6 of erysipelas, 5 of whooping-cough, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 11th May, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.(b) Not including three cases of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 11th May, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 9; typhus nil and one; measles 30 and 65; scarlet fever 15 and 51*; and diphtheria one and 16. Fifteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 44 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 6 were from measles, there was one death from searlet fever and 2 from pneumonia.

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middle (a) According to the Census of 1911 but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Lendonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. It having been depended in the middle of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Rochés Point for Cork. The readings for Limenick are supplied by Muneret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phonix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Edizwilliam Square.

Table III.— Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 11th May, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertein)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 11th May, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

	No. of Cas	se s in H ospit f week ende	al at close		Week ended	11th May,	
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Scarlet Fever	. 44 ''	. 47	44	15	7	1	51*
Diphtheria,	27	23	23	1	8		16
Pneumonia,	46	49	46	15	15	2	44

^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital,

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 18.5 and 19.6; Dublin Registration Area, 20.3 and 20.3; Dublin City,

20.9 and 20.8; Belfast 17.6 and 20.1; Cork, 17.0 and 20.4; Londonderry, 14.3 and 15.0; Limerick,

19.0 and 18.3; and Waterford, 22.8 and 16.2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.4 per 1,000. Among the 133 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from searlet fever, 3 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrheal diseases. The 25 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from measles and one from whooping-cough. One of the 11 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from whooping-cough. Included in the 4 deaths from all causes for Galway are 2 from diarrhea and enteritis of children and a reason. Two of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lordon error from the causes of children and causes for Calway are 2 from diarrhea and enteritis of children and causes. under 2 years. Two of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lurgan are from whooping-cough, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 257—128 boys

and 129 girls—and the deaths to 173—88 males and 85 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.9 and was 3.3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty weeks was 22.7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25.7.

The 155 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 3 from measles, one

from scarlet fever, and 6 from whooping-cough.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 4, 6, and 9, and deaths from whooping-cough, 7, 6, and 10. There were no deaths from enteric fever or scarlet fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 33 deaths (comprising 23 from pulmonary tuberculous, 5 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 30, 19, and 28, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 3 by simple meningitis. 16 by pneumonia (comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 13 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to meningitis and 2 to congenital

debility.

There were 3 accidental deaths and one death by suicide.

Thirty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 155 deaths recorded, 72 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 18th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 13.3), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 13.1 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19.8 and for Edinburgh 13.1.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 18th May. From this Report it appears that of 55 cases notified, 17 were searlet fever 16 pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 diphtheria, 4 erysipelas and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 402 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 166 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 97 of scarlet fever, 29 of diphtheria, 29 of measles, 7 of erysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, and 3 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 18th May, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrhæal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

(a) Not including three cases of varicella.
(b) Not including three cases of varicella.
(c) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 18th May, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 11; typhus nil and one; measles 30 and 75; scarlet fever 12 and 51*; and diphtheria 4 and 18. Nineteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 45 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 2 were from measles, and 3 from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Venereal Diseases Cancer Tumour, situation undefined.	9.2	12		•	•	•	•	•	1	•	•	2	2	6		1	10
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in the Twentieth Week, ending Saturday, 18th May, 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years 1913-17.

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LABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Elegeres. Groups the Occupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Key, 1918; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Life, and the Number from so no of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI:- Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.-Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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TABLE VII.—Showing, by Registrans' Districts, the Number of Births and Districts (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 18th May, 1918, Beaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the desensed persons were schularly with the Annual An

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 18th May, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 18th May, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·2 and 19·1; Dublin Registration Area, 20·3 and 20·1; Dublin City, 20·3 and 20·4; Belfast 16·9 and 19·5; Cork, 21·8 and 18·4; Londonderry, 15·6 and 14·6; Limerick,

8·1 and 18·6; and Waterford, 19·0 and 16·2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.8 per 1,000. Among the 127 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from enteric fever, 2 from measles, and 7 from whooping-cough. The 32 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from measles, one from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhea, and one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 146-71 boys

and 75 girls—and the deaths to 168—80 males and 88 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-one weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.9 and was 3.1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-one weeks was 22.6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25.5.

The 155 deaths appertaining to the Area include 7 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, 4 from diphtheria, 3 from influenza, one from epidemic rose rash, and 3 from

diarrheal diseases.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 6, 9, and 3; deaths from scarlet fever 0, 0, and one; deaths from whooping-cough 6, 10, and 6; deaths from influenza 0, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhocal diseases 5, 3, and 0. There were no deaths from diphtheria registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 25 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 19, 28, and 33, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 14 by pneumonia (comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and one from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 24 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to diarrheea and enterit's, 5 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 33 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 155 deaths recorded, 65 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 25th instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 13·4), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 13·7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17.8 and for Edinburgh 11.3.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 25th May. From this Report it appears that of 41 cases notified, 11 were scarlet fever 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 7 diphtheria, and 4 crysipelas. Among the 379 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 165 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 90 of scarlet fever, 35 of measles, 27 of diphtheria, 6 of crysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, and 3 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 25th May, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typbus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 25th May, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 9; typhus nil and one; measles 15 and 55; scarlet fever 6 and 46*; and diphtheria 2 and 12. Fifteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 43 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from measles, one from scarlet fever, 4 from diphtheria, and one from pneumonia.

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middle of 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) Se note (r) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Monet taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (d) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABER VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. -Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous tenyests (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 25th May, 1918.

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TABLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 25th May, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases.			May 4.	May 11.	May 18.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
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Typhus,		• •	1	1	1	•	•		1
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Measles,		• •	80	65	75	15	32	3	55
Scarlet Fever	• •		44	- 51	51	6	10	1	46*
Diphtheria,			23	16	18	2 .	4	4	12
Pneumonia,	• •		46	44	4.5	15	16	1	43

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·3 and 18·4; Dublin Registration Area, 17·9 and 20·0; Dublin City, 20·0 and 20·9; Belfast 16·2 and 17·8; Cork, 14·3 and 17·9; Londonderry, 19·6 and 16·6; Limerick, 4·1 and 14·2; and Waterford, 24·7 and 19·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 122 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 5 from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea, and enteritis of a child under 2 years. The 21 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from measles, and one from whooping-cough, and the 3 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include one from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 244-120 boys

and 124 girls—and the deaths to 143—66 males and 77 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-two weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.7 and was 3.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-two weeks was 22.5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25.2.

The 137 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, 9 from whooping-cough,

one from diphtheria, 6 from diarrheal diseases, and one from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 9, 3, and 7; deaths from whooping-cough 10, 6, and 7; deaths f om diphthe ia 0, 0 and 4; deaths from diarrheal diseases 3, 0, and 3, and deaths from influenza one, 0 and 3, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from

tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 28, 33, and 31, respectively, in

the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by pneumonia (comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Of 4 accidental deaths, one (that of a child aged 32 years), was caused by burns.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 4 to diarrhœa and

enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 36 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 3) were 70 years of age or over. Of the 137 deaths recorded, 57 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality for the week ended 1st June in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12.5), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 12.7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.8 and for Edinburgh 11.1.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 1st June. From this Report it appears that of 47 cases notified, 13 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 diphtheria, 9 scarlet fever, 4 erysipelas, and one enteric fever. Among the 352 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 157 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 85 of scarlet fever, 34 of diphtheria, 28 of measles, 5 of erysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 1st June, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 1st June, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 12; measles 28 and 62; scarlet fever 4 and 34*; and diphtheria 5 and 13. Ten cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 38 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria, and 2 were from pneumonia.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911. But in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (t) at foot of first page. (c) It has not impractionable to obtain Mercorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are the Botanic Gardens, (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous translations of persons admitted from without the respective areae.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 1st June, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertsin)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fevor	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosia.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 1st June, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Measles,		65	75	55	28	21		62
Scarlet Fever		51	51	46	4	16	¥ ÷	34*
Diphtheria,	**	16	18	12	5	3	T	13.
Pneumonia,		. 44	45	43	10	13	2	38

^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·2 and 17·3; Dublin Registration Area, 17·3 and 18·9; Dublin City, 17·8 and 19·7; Belfast 14·1 and 16·2; Cork, 23·1 and 19·0; Londonderry, 24·8 and 18·6; Limerick, 14·9 and 11·5; and Waterford, 19·0 and 21·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 106 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles. 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 34 deaths from all causes for Cork include 6 from measles, and one of the 19 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from the same disease. 19 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 185-96 boys

and 89 girls—and the deaths to 146—73 males and 73 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.3 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-three weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.6 and was 2.9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-three weeks was 22.3 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24.9.

The 132 deaths appertaining to the Area include 3 from measles, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from

diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from epidemic rose rash.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 3, 7, and one; deaths from whoopingcough 6, 7, and 9; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 0, 2, and 5, respectively

Tuberculous disease caused 28 deaths (comprising 20 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 33, 31, and 22, respectively,

in the three weeks preceding.

Fourteen deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis. 11 by pneumonia (comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 3 by organic diseases of the heart, and 10 by bronchitis.

Two deaths were caused by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 3 to diarrhœa and

enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 132 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions. Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœat diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 8th June in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11 2), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11.5 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.0 and for Edinburgh 10.8.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 8th June. From this Report it appears that of 56 cases notified, 19 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 diphtheria, 14 scarlet fever, and one erysipelas. Among the 342 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 163 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 83 of scarlet fever, 39 of diphtheria, 14 of measles, 5 of erysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, 4 of enteric fever, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 8th June, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber enlosis,	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever (b) Not including two cases of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hespitals during the week ended 8th June, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 9; measles 26 and 66; searlet fever 3 and 29*; and diphtheria 4 and 15.

Nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 31 remained under treatment at its close.

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Table II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 8th June, 1918, in the Dublin Registerion area and in each of the under-mentions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glaskow.

(a) According to the Census of 1911 but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Mercorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (d) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Etizwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Table VII.—Showing, by Registrars' Districts, the Number of Births and Deaths in the Cities (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 8th Juny. 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the decensed persons were admitted; with the Annual Raffe of Morrality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain ABE Persons: the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 8th June, 1918.

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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th June, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

	Disease			No. of Ca	ses in Hospitof week ende	tal at close		Week ended	8th June.	
	DISEANE	9.		May 18.	May 25.	June 1.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fe	ver,	••		11	9.	12	1	4		9
Typhus,		* *		1	1					
Small-pox,	4 0	• •								
Measles,		• •	• •	75	55	62	26	20	2	66
Scarlet Fee		**	0.01	51	46	34	3	8	11	29*
Diphtheria,				18	12	13	4			
Pneumonia	,	• •	• •	45	43	38	9	2	3	15 1 . 31

^{*} Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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IN THE

REGISTRATION AREA, DUBLIN

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·4 and 16·8; Dublin Registration Area, 17·0 and 18·1; Dublin City, 16·9 and 18·7; Belfast 17·1 and 16·1; Cork, 14·3 and 18·4; Londonderry, 19·6 and 19·9; Limerick, 13·5 and 10·2; and Waterford, 11·4 and 18·5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.6 per 1,000. Among the 129 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 7 from whooping cough, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 21 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from measles. One of the 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from the same disease. Included in the 10 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from scarlet fever. Of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lurgan one is from whooping-cough. One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is from whooping cough, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from the same disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 233-115 boys and 118 girls—and the deaths to 148—80 males and 68 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.0 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-four weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20·4 and was 2·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-four weeks was 22.2 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24.7.

The 130 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 3 from

whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under years, and 3 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 7, one, and 3; deaths from whooping-cough 7, 9, and 3; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 5, and 3, and deaths from influenza, 3, one, and 0, respectively. There were no deaths from enteric fever during the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths (comprising 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 31, 22, and 28, respectively,

in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 10 by pneumonia (comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Two deaths were caused by railway accidents and there was one death by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, were due to convulsions, 3 to diarrhoa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 16 were under one month old, and 28 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 23 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 130 deaths recorded, 51 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal: diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 15th June in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.0), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11.4 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.2 and for Edinburgh 9.9.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 15th June. From this Report it appears that of 43 cases notified, 20 were scarlet fever, 15 pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 diphtheria, one cerebro-spinal fever, and one crysipelas. Among the 337 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 164 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 84 of scarlet fever, 37 of diphtheria, 10 of measles, 5 of erysipelas, 3 of whooping-cough, 3 of cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 of enteric fever.

Table I .- Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 15th June, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small pox	Measies.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella,	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever,	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total
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(a) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever.
 (b) Not including two cases of varicella.

(c) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 15th June, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 7; measles 16 and 61; scarlet fever 2 and remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever measles, and promotion TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 15th June, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Metapulogy in London Edinburch and Charles and Tambor of Charles and Reinfall for the week;

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TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registere cause in the corresponding week of

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in the Twenty-fourth Week, ending Saturday, 15th June, 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years 1913-17.

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* See note (†) at foot of first page.

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 15th June, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 15th June, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 19·8 and 17·2; Dublin Registration Area, 16·9 and 17·3; Dublin City, 18·1 and 18·2; Belfast 25·3 and 18·2; Cork, 18·4 and 17·5; Londonderry, 19·6 and 20·9; Limerick,

8·1 and 10·2; and Waterford, 3·8 and 14·7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.4 per 1,000. Among the 191 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from measles, 9 from whooping cough, and 2 from diarrhead diseases. The 27 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from measles and 2 from whooping-cough. Two of the 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from measles. Included in the 6 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is one from enteric fever. Of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lisburn one is from whooping-cough, and one from diphtheria; and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from whooping cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 172—87 boys and 85 girls—and the deaths to 147—72 males and 75 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-five weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.3 and was 2.7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-five weeks was 22·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24.5.

The 129 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria,

3 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough numbered 9, 3, and 3; deaths from diphtheria, one, 0, and 0; deaths from diarrhoa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 5, 3, and 4, and deaths from influenza, one, 0, and 3, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 32 deaths (comprising 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from

tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 22, 28, and 24, respectively,

in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 6 by pneumonia (all having been caused by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis.

There were no deaths by violence registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, one to diarrhoea and

enteritis, 3 were due to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 129 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 22nd June in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12·0), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11·7 per 1,000 persons living. The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·2 and for Edinburgh 11·3.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 22nd June. From this Report it appears that of 50 cases notified. 10 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 20 other forms of tuberculosis, 9 diphtheria, 8 scarlet fever, 2 erysipelas and one puerperal fever. Among the 338 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 165 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 75 of scarlet fever, 45 of diphtheria, 10 of measles, 4 of erysipelas, 3 of whooping-cough, 3 of cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 22nd June, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles. Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Dipletheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis,	Total.
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Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 22nd June, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 10; measles 10 and 43; scarlet fever 17 and 79*; and diphtheria 2 and 10. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria, and 3 were from pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 22nd June, 1918, in the Dublin Registeration and the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE General ULASSES and Elements Groups the Uccupations or Social Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 22nd June, 1918; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table VII.—Showing, by Registrates, the Number of Births and Deaths in the Crites (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK. registered during the week ended 22hd June, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the Consus of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain A & Persons, the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 22nd June, 1918

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fevor	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 22nd June, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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DISEASES.		June 1.	June 8.	June 15.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No under treatment at close of week.
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Measles,	-		•					•
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Scarlet Fever	••	-34	29	· 28	17	6		
Diphtheria,		-19	15	n	2	1	•	39*
Pneumonia,		90			2	2	1	10
••	• •	38	31	33	8	8	3	30

^{*} Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 26·2 and 19·6; Dublin Registration Area. 15·7 and 16·7; Dublin City, 17·3 and 17·5; Belfast, 45·2 and 25·4; Cork, 17·7 and 18·4; Londonderry, 33·9 and 24·5; Limerick,

8.1 and 11.2; and Waterford, 19.0 and 13.3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.3 per 1,000. Among the 341 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 10 from whooping-cough, and 3 from diarrhoad diseases. The 26 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from measles and one from whooping-cough. Four of the 26 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from measles. One of the 7 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was due to whooping-cough. Included in the 6 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is one from whooping-cough, and of the 2 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is one from whooping-cough. and of the 3 deaths from all causes for Lisburn 2 are from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA. --

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 184-92 boys

and 92 girls—and the deaths to 134-70 males and 64 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-six weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20·1 and was 2·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-six weeks was 21.9 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten

The 120 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diarrhee and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 6 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 3, 3, and 0; deaths from whoopingcough numbered 3, 3, 2: deaths from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3, 4, and 3, and deaths from influenza 0, 3, and 2, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 26 deaths (comprising 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from

tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 28, 24, and 32, respectively,

in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by pneumonia (5 being by broncho-pneumonia one by lobar pneumonia, and 5 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis.

There were no deaths by violence registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, two were due to diarrhoca and enteritis, 2 to

premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 120 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and dearrhoeal

SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 29th June in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.7 and for Edinburgh 12.2.

Infectious Diseases in Edinburgh.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 29th June. From this Report it appears that of 46 cases notified, 17 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 11 diphtheria, 9 scarlet fever, one crysipelas and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 355 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 167 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 73 of scarlet fever, 46 of diphtheria, 15 of measles, 4 of crysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, 3 of cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 29th June, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis,	Total.
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(a) Not including two cases of varicella.(b) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 29th June, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 6; measles 10 and 40; searlet fever 9 and 40*; and diphtheria one and 9. Twenty-one cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 27 measles, and 4 from pneumonia.

Of the deaths in hospital during the week 2 were from

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the wook ending Saturday, 29th June, 1918, in the Dearts Registration and in each of the under mentioned 18 UBRAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal. Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phornix: Park.

(e) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzvilliam Square.

(f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

*Owing to an injury to the maximum thermometer, the maximum readings for Phonix Park are not available.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five Generals and Engirers the Occupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Wook ending Saturday, 29th June, 1918: the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. -Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the provious to persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Number of Deaths,	. 167	.184	171	159	142	164	155	155	137	132	130.	129	120	197	182.	189	147	174	153	133	127 1	122 1	106 1	129 . 1	191 . 3	341
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	. 21.8	24.0	22.3	3 20.8	18.6	21.4	20.3	20.3	17.9	17.3	17.0	16.9	15.7	26.1	24.1	25.1	19.5	23.1 2	20.3 17	9.	16.9 1	6.2 1	14.1	7.1 28	25.3.4	45.2
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Table VII.—Showing, by Registrans' Districts, the Number of Braths and Deaths in the Cities (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 29th June, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the december admitted; with the Annual Raths of Morrality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain A 3E Periods; the Number of Uncertified Deaths. &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 29th June, 1918.

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Table IX.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 29th June, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Measles,		• •	66	61	43	10	11	2	40
Scarlet Fever	• •		29 ·	28	39	9	8		1
Diphtheria,	• •		. 15 .	11	- 10	1	2	•	40*
Pneumonia,	• •		31	33	30	21	20	4	9 27

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns

OF

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IN THE

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QUARTER ENDING SATURDAY, 29TH JUNE, 1918.

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DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin, and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 29th June, 1918, 2,575 births—1,280 boys and 1,295 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 25·8 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 2,137, equivalent to an annual rate of 28.0 in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 438, equal to an annual rate of 18.7 in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of 16.5 per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth rate was 23.2 per 1,000, and in Edinburgh 16.5 per 1,000.

Deaths.—Omitting the deaths (204) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 1,945, were equivalent to an annual rate of 19·5 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 20·7. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 2,149—1,054 males and 1,095 females—affording an annual ratio of 21·5 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 22·1 per 1,000 for the second quarter of the ten years, 1908-1917.

The number of deaths of inhabitants* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 784, representing an annual mortality of 19·4 in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 770, equivalent to a rate of 21·5 per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 391, being equal to an annual death-rate of 16·7 in every 1,000.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 14·2 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 14·6 per 1,000, of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 11·9 per 1,000.

* The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

CAUSES OF DEATH IN DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

The number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* registered in the Dublin Registration Area during last quarter was 206, being equal to an annual rate of $2\cdot07$ per 1,000 of the population.

ENTERIC FEVER.—During the 13 weeks ended 29th June 6 deaths from enteric fever were registered, the number of such deaths in the three preceding quarters being 5, 9 and 8 respectively, as compared with an average for the corresponding period of the preceding 5 years of 7. Of the 6 deaths recorded for the period under review, 4 belonged to the North City districts, one to South City No. 3 district and one to Kingstown. From Table I. it may be seen that 48 cases of this disease were treated in Dublin hospitals; of these 38 were discharged and 4 died, leaving 6 cases under treatment at the close of the quarter.

Typhus.—No death from typhus was registered. Five cases of the disease underwent treatment in hospital during the quarter, all of which recovered.

SMALL-POX.—No case of this disease was reported.

Measures.—This disease caused 49 of the deaths registered, as against 8, 26 and 38 deaths, respectively, in the three preceding quarters and an average of 86 for the corresponding period of the 5 years, 1913-17. Of the 49 deaths, 9 belonged to North City districts, 37 to South City districts, 2 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district and one was that of a person admitted from without the Dublin Registration Area. The cases treated in hospital numbered 343, of which 278 were discharged and 25 died, leaving 40 undergoing treatment at the close of the quarter.

Scarlet Fever.—Five deaths from scarlet fever were recorded, the average for the corresponding quarter of the previous 5 years being 6. Two of the deaths registered belonged to North City No.1, West, district and 3 were of persons admitted from without the Registration Area. In the Dublin hospitals 156 cases of this disease were treated. Of these 112 were discharged, 4 died and 40† were still undergoing treatment at the close of the quarter.

Whooping-cough.—Deaths from this cause numbered 91, equivalent to a rate of 0.91 per 1,000 of the population, the numbers in the three quarters preceding being 21, 21 and 60 respectively, with an average of 29 for the corresponding period of the preceding 5 years. Of the 91 deaths, 51 were of residents of North City districts, 31 of residents of South City districts, 5 belonged to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district and one to Pembroke. Three of the 91 deaths were of persons admitted to institutions from without the Registration Area. Of the 51 deaths for North city districts, 26 belonged to North City, No. 1, West and 14 to North City, No. 1, East, and of the 31 deaths for South City districts, 12 belonged to South City, No. 1.

DIPHTHERIA.—Eight deaths from this disease were recorded, the average number being 14, while 9, 16 and 11 deaths respectively were registered in the three quarters immediately preceding that under notice. Of the 8 deaths, 4 belonged to North City districts, 2 to South City districts, one to the urban district of Rathmines and Rathgar and one was of a person admitted from without the Dublin Registration Area. From Table I. it may be seen that 69 cases of this disease were treated in Dublin hospitals; of these 52 were discharged, 8 died and 9 remained under treatmant at the end of the quarter.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Included in this group are 41 deaths of children under 2 years from diarrhea and enteritis, the average number of such deaths being 45. Of the 41 deaths, 20 belonged to North City districts, 17 to South City districts, one to the urban district of Rathmines and Rathgar and 3 to Pembroke urban district.

INFLUENZA.—The deaths from influenza, which numbered 2, 2 and 20 in the September, December and March quarters, respectively, rose to 24 in the period under notice, the average for the corresponding period of the preceding 5 years being 18.

CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.—One death from this disease was registered, the numbers in the three preceding quarters being 2, one and one respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 415 deaths, of which 302 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 55 from tuberculous meningitis, 24 from abdominal tuberculosis and 34 from other forms of the disease. The 415 deaths registered are equivalent to a rate of $4\cdot16$ per 1,000 of the population and are one above the average number of such deaths for the corresponding period of the 5 years, 1913-17.

For the city, 310 deaths from tuberculous disease were registered, equivalent to a rate of 4.06 per 1.000 of the population; for the North City districts such deaths numbered 161 (or 3.98 per 1,000) and for the South City districts, 149 (or 4.16 per 1,000).

The number of deaths from tuberculous disease for the urban districts was 60 (or $2\cdot56$ per 1,000). Of these 23 (or $2\cdot35$ per 1,000) belonged to Rathmines and Rathgar; 22 (or $3\cdot00$ per 1,000) to Pembroke; 8 (or $3\cdot60$ per 1,000) to Blackrock, and 7 (or $1\cdot70$ per 1,000) to Kingstown.

Cancer.—Deaths from carcinoma, sarcoma, and cancer, malignant disease, which are comprised under this heading, numbered 138, equivalent to a rate of $1\cdot38$ per 1,000. In the three preceding quarters the deaths from cancer were 110, 120 and 132 respectively, the average for the 5 years being 127.

^{*} See note (*) page 260d.

[†] See note (*) at foot of Table I.

PNEUMONIA.—To this cause 159 deaths were attributed, comprising 69 from broncho-pneumonia, 24 from lobar pneumonia, and 66 from pneumonia (type not distinguished). The 159 deaths recorded for the period under notice are equivalent to a rate of 1.59 per 1,000 of the population, the average number of deaths from this cause in the corresponding period of the 5 years preceding being 168.

DISEASES OF THE BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM.—The deaths grouped under this heading numbered 195 (or 1.95 per 1,000 of the population), as against 163, 179 and 204 in the three preceding quarters and an average of 213 for the second quarter of the five years preceding. Included in the 195 deaths are 35 from convulsions, all of which were deaths of children under 5 years of age.

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.—There were 189 deaths attributed to causes under this heading (equivalent to a rate of 1.89 per 1,000) and including 156 deaths from organic diseases of the heart. The average number of deaths from diseases of the circulatory system for the second quarter of the 5 years, 1913-17, was 220.

Bronchitis.—Bronchitis caused 215 deaths, equivalent to a rate of $2 \cdot 16$ per 1,000 of the population, the average number of such deaths in the second quarter of the preceding 5 years being 225.

Congenital Conditions.—Congenital malformations caused 10 deaths, premature birth 50 deaths, and congenital debility 52 deaths.

VIOLENCE.—There were 31 deaths attributed to violence. Of these 8 were caused by drowning, 5 (3 being of children under 5 years of age) by burns or scalds, 2 by poisons (one being by an irritant poison and one by ammonia), 2 by railway accidents, and 3 by gunshot wounds (including the deaths of 2 soldiers from wounds received in battle). Included in the total are 3 deaths by suicide.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the Quarter (13 weeks) Ended Saturday, 29th June, 1918.

DISEASES.		No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.		Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER		26 3	22	· 38	4	6
SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLET FEVER,	• •	53 39	290 117	278 112	25	40
DIPHTHERIA, PNEUMONIA,	**	23 44	46 181	52 171	8 27	9 27

^{*} Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the convalescent home of Cork-street Fever Hospital.

In 44 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 44 cases, 24 (or $54 \cdot 5$ per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 131 infants under one month old registered, there were 14 (or $10 \cdot 7$ per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table III., page 200f, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases† in the Dublin Registration Area was $2\cdot0$ per 1,000, that in the City it was $2\cdot4$, and in the urban districts $0\cdot7$, the rates for the several districts varying from $0\cdot0$ in each of Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of, and Blackrock, to $4\cdot7$ in South City, No. 1, the 243 deaths from all causes for that district including 24 from measles, 12 from whooping-cough and 11 from diarrhœal diseases.

OCCUPATIONS.—From Table IV., page 260g, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of 18·3 per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was 15·8 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 16·7; and in the "General Service Class" it was 21·3.

AGES.—Of the 2,149 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 556 were under 5 years of age, including 304 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 118 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of $54 \cdot 4$ in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of $6 \cdot 5$ per 1,000 persons at that age-period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of $8 \cdot 6$ per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of $17 \cdot 6$ per 1,000 of the population at that age-period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was $11 \cdot 0$; for those between 45 and 65 it was $30 \cdot 0$; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was $72 \cdot 7$; and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death rate was $163 \cdot 8$ per 1,000. The deaths of 12 persons aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

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Public Institutions.—Of the 2,149 deaths recorded during the quarter, 1.003, or 46.7 per cent., occurred in public institutions, viz., 669 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums; 135 in the North Dublin Union Workhouse; 189 in the South Dublin Union Workhouse; and 10 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

Weather.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phanix Park, was $49\cdot4.^{\circ}$ At Greenwich it was $53\cdot4^{\circ}$; at Glasgow, $50\cdot6^{\circ}$; and at Edinburgh, $49\cdot1^{\circ}$.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured $5\cdot 59$ inches; at Greenwich, $5\cdot 63$ inches; at Glasgow, $3\cdot 84$ inches; and at Edinburgh, $4\cdot 21$ inches.

NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table II., the annual death-rate represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 20.0 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Wexford, 13.2; Limerick, 13.7; Clonmel, 14.1; Sligo, 14.7; Galway, 15.1; Waterford, 16.3; Tralee, 16.7; Kilkenny, 17.5; Dundalk, 17.7; Newry, 17.7; Ballymena, 17.9; Portadown, 18.4; Lisburn, 18.7; Londonderry, 18.9; Dublin Registration Area, 19.5; Drogheda, 19.8; Lurgan, 20.1; Cork, 21.0; and Belfast, 22.3.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* in the 19 districts is 1.9 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0.0 in Newry and Clonmel to 4.1 in Cork, the 402 deaths from all causes for that district including 64 from measles, 11 from whooping-cough, and 3 from diarrh val diseases.

The following is a synopsis of the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases* in the eighteen provincial urban districts already named, and Tables II. and V. give in detail the results of the registration for the quarter:—

Enteric Fever.—Included in the 15 deaths recorded from this disease 10 appertained to Belfast, 3 to Dundalk, and one to each of Londonderry and Portadown.

Typhus.—No mortality from this disease was reported during the quarter.

SMALL-POX.—There were no deaths from small-pox registered during the period under review.

Measles.—Sixty-four deaths from measles were recorded for Cork, 32 for Belfast, 8 for London-derry and one for Kilkenny.

SCARLET FEVER.—The 3 deaths from this disease comprise 2 for Belfast and one for Limerick.

Whooping-cough.—Of the 168 deaths from this cause, 138 belonged to Belfast; 11 to Cork, 9 to Lurgan, 4 to Lisburn, 2 to each of Drogheda and Portadown and one each to Londonderry and Dundalk.

DIPHTHERIA.—The mortality under this heading comprises 9 deaths for Belfast and one for each of Limerick, Lisburn, Portadown, and Sligo.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Deaths of children under 2 years of age from diarrhoea and enteritis numbered 24, and of these 17 belonged to Belfast and 2 to each of Cork and Galway.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis.—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was 2.9 per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was 2.8 per 1,000; for Belfast county borough 3.2 per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast), it was 2.6 per 1,000. (See Table II.)

* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whocping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and

† See note (*) on page 2604.

TABLE II.—BERTHS and DEATHS Registered during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 29th June, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), with the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

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WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

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Nineteen Town Districts, 3 \(\) 6 and 23 \(\) 2; Dublin Registration Area, 23 \(\) 4 and 18 \(\) 3; Dublin City, 26 \(\) 5 and 19 \(\) 7; Belfast 44 \(\) 4 and 33 \(\) 0; Cork, 23 \(\) 8 and 18 \(\) 6; Londonderry, 53 \(\) 4 and 31 \(\) 6; Limerick,

13.5 and 10.8; and Waterford, 9.5 and 10.9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.5 per 1,000. Among the 335 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 6 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 7 from diarrhœal diseases. The 35 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever and one from whooping-cough. Four of the 41 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from measles. One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was due to whooping-cough. The 4 deaths from all causes recorded for Tralee include 2 from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 159-78 boys

and 81 girls—and the deaths to 19 -101 males and 10 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of $23 \cdot 4$ per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged $20 \cdot 2$ and was $2 \cdot 3$ below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-seven weeks was $22 \cdot 0$ and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years $24 \cdot 0$.

The 179 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 35 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 3, 0, and 2; deaths from whooping cough 3, 2, and one; deaths from diphtheria 0, one, and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 4, 3, and 2, and deaths from influenza 3, 2, and 6, respectively.

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Tuberculous disease caused 37 deaths (comprising 31 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 24, 32, and 25, respectively,

in the three weeks preceding.

Fleven deaths were caused by cancer, 18 by pneumonia (9 being by broncho-pneumonia, 4 by lobar pneumonia, and 5 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 16 by bronchitis.

There were 2 deaths by violence registered, one being due to a railway accident.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, one to diarrhea and

enteritis, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 35 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 55 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 179 deaths recorded, 73 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox; measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality for the week ended 29th June in 16 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 13.2) was equal to an average nnual death rate of 13.2 per 1,000 persons living.

The average rate for the week ended 6th July in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.8 and for Edinburgh 12.8.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 6th July. From this Report it appears that of 35 cases notified, 13 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 other forms of tuberculosis, 10 scarlet fever, 6 diphtheria and 2 erysipelas. Among the 363 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 169 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 71 of scarlet fever, 40 of diphtheria, 16 of measles, 5 of erysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, 3 of cerebro-spinal fever, and 2 of enteric fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 6th July, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Faver	Enteric or Typheid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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Not including one case of varicella.

(b) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 6th July, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 2; measles 4 and 21; scarlet fever 6 and 25* and diphtheric 2 and 4. 35*; and diphtheria 2 and 4. Twenty-six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 40 diphtheria, and 4 were from pneumonia. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registers! during the week ending Saturday, 6th July, 1918, in the Dentry Registration and in each of the under mentione 118 Urban Districts, the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Inablin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and London charge. The population in 1917, (b) See note (f) at foot of first page.

(c) It having been adopted to obtain Medecine and Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings of Cork. The readings for Linearick are supplied by Mungret College.

(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phonix Park.

(e) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the week ended 29th ultimo.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 6th July, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	. Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertein)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 6th July, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 29·8 and 26·6; Dublin Registration Area, 32·7 and 22·2; Dublin City, 35·5 and 24·4; Belfast 28·3 and 35·8; Cork, 25·2 and 21·3; Londonderry, 69·1 and 41·0; Limerick,

10.8 and 10.1; and Waterford, 22.8 and 13.8.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.8 per 1,000. Among the 213 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 10 from whooping cough and 5 from diarrheal diseases. The 37 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Nine of the 53 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from measles. One of the 8 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from whoopingcough. One of the 15 deaths from all causes for Lurgan was due to whooping-cough. Included in the 4 deaths from all causes for Drogheda is one fr m whooping-cough. The 9 deaths from all causes for Ballymena include one from enteric fever, and one of the 4 recorded for Tralee was from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 226—125 boys-

and 101 girls—and the deaths to 260-146 males and 114 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 32·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last the death-rate averaged 20.7 and was 1.6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-eight weeks was 22 · 4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23.8.

The 250 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 2 from

whooping-cough, one from diarrhea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 92 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 0, 2, and one; deaths from whoopingcough 2, one, and 4; deaths from diphtheria one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of

cough 2, one, and 4; deaths from dipintheria one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 2, and one, and deaths from influenza 2, 6, and 35, respectively. There were no deaths registered from sparlet fever in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 28 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 32, 26, and 37, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, 44 by pneumonia (12 being by broncho-pneumonia, 7 by lobar pneumonia, and 25 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis and 12 by bronchitis.

There were 2 deaths by accidental violence, and one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 5 to premature birth,

Thirty eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 251 deaths recorded, 97 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality for the week ended 6th July in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 17.4) was equal to an average ennual death rate of 19.) per 1,0% persons living.

The average rate for the week ended 13th July in 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.2 and for Edinburgh 18.0.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 13th July. From this Report it appears that of 42 cases notified, 16 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 9 scarlet fever, 5 diphtheria, 4 cerebro-spinal fever, 2 erysipelas, and one enteric fever. Among the 351 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 171 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 70 of scarlet fever, 41 of diphtheria, 16 of measles, 5 of erysipelas, 4 of cerebro-spinal fever, 3 of enteric fever, and 2 of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 13th July, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Faver.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 13th July, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 4; measles one and 11; scarlet fever 9 and 36*; and diphtheria 3 and 6. Twenty-two cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 40 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from measles, one from scarlet fever, and 8 were from pneumonia.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Elgerreen Groups the Occupations of Social Deaths whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registeration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 13th July, 1918; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Printipal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. --Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 13th July, 1918.

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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 13th July, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Pneumonia,	••	30	27	40	22	14	8	• 6 40						

^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 25.2 and 27.9; Dublin Registration Area, 27.2 and 24.8; Dublin City, 30.4 and 27.4; Belfast, 20.2 and 34.5; Cork, 37.4 and 26.0; Londonderry, 52.1 and 52.1; Limerick,

14.9 and 11.8; and Waterford, 15.2 and 16.6.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases; registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 152 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 55 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever, one from measles, and 2 from whooping-cough. Two of the 40 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from measles. One of the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from measles. One of the 15 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is due to whooping-cough. Included in the 5 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 216—99 boys and 117 girls—and the deaths to 220—92 males and 128 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 27.2 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-nine weeks ending Saturday, 20th July, the death-rate averaged 20.9, and was 1.2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-nine weeks was 22.7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 23.5.

The 208 deaths appertaining to the Area include 5 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 53 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough numbered one, 4, and 2; deaths from diphtheria 0, one, and 0; deaths from diarrhæn and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, one, and one, and deaths from influenza 6, 35, and 92, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 33 deaths (comprising 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 26, 37, and 31, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 20 by pneumonia (4 being by broncho-pneumonia, and 16 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 25 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was assigned to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 42 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 208 deaths recorded, 77 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 20th July in 96 large English! towns (including London, in which the rate was 15.2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 18.0 per 1,000 of the civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 15.9, and for Edinburgh 16.6.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 20th From this Report it appears that of 52 cases notified, 22 were scarlet fever, 10 pulmonary tuberculosis, 10 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 erysipelas, 3 cerebro-spinal fever, 2 diphtheria, and one puerperal fever. Among the 361 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 170 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 78 of scarlet fever, 29 of diphtheria, 15 of measles, 7 of cerebro-spinal fever, 6 of erysipelas, 3 of enteric fever, and 3 of whooping-cough.

Table I .- Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:-the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 20th July, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not

notifiable in the District.																				
Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 20th July, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows: - Enteric fever 2 and 4; measles 2 and 11; scarlet fever 5 and 30*; and diphtheria 3 and 8. Sixteen cases of [pneumonia were admitted during the week and 36 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from pneumonia.

Table II. BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 20th July, 1918, in the Dublin Redistricts Area and in cach of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Garsus of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (7) at foot of first page. (c) it having been found impracticable to obtain Metoorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stabions from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armaga have been adopted for Long an Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordunoce Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 20th July, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total,
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TABLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 20th July, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases.	June 29,	July 6.	July 13.	No admitted,	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week,
Enteric Fever	6	2	4	2	2		4
Typhus							
Small-pox							
Measles	40	21	11	2	2		11
Scarlet Fever	40	35	36	5	11		30*
Diphtheria	9	4	6	3	1		8
Pneumonia	27	40	40	16	17	3	56

^{*} Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 27TH JULY, 1918.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 19.8 and 26.3; Dublin Registration Area, 20.0 and 25.8; Dublin City, 21.9 and 28.6; Belfast, 17.4 and 27.6; Cork, 36.7 and 30.8; Londonderry, 30.0 and 51.1; Limerick,

10.8 and 12.5; and Waterford, 15.2 and 15.7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.7 per 1,000. Among the 131 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 9 from diarrh cal diseases. The 54 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, and 2 from diarrhead diseases. One of the 23 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from measles, and 2 are from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years. Included in the 11 deaths from all causes for Lurgan are 5 from whooping-cough, and of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lisburn there is one death from each of enteric fever and whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 211—118 boys and 93 girls—and the deaths to 170—86 males and 84 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20.0 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty weeks ending Saturday, 27th July, the death-rate averaged 20.9 and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty weeks was 22.6 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 23.3.

The 153 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 5 from diarrhoss and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 25 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered one, one, and 0; deaths from scarlet fever, 0, one, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, 4, 2, and 5; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, one, one, and 2; and deaths from influenza, 35, 92, and 53, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 6 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 37, 31, and 33, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 18 by pneumonia (comprising 10 by broncho-pneumonia, one by lobar pneumonia, and 7 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 6 by organic diseases of the heart, and 16 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, and 4 to congenital debility. There were 3 deaths by violence, comprising one (that of a child aged one year) caused by burns, one by drowning, and one by a railway accident.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 18 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 153 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoal discases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 27th July in \$6 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.8), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 13.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population. The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14.9, and for Edinburgh 11.1.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 27th July. From this Report it appears that of 52 cases notified, 17 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 16 other forms of tuberculosis, 10 scarlet fever, 3 diphtheria, 3 erysipelas, and 3 cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 377 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 171 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 70 of scarlet fever, 26 of diphtheria, 11 of measles, 9 of cerebro-spinal fever, 7 of erysipelas, 3 of enteric fever, and 2 of whooping cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 27th July, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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(a) Not including one case of cerebro-spinal fever.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 27th July, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to Lospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows: -Enteric fever nil and 4; measles 5 and 14; searlet fever 4 and 27*; and diphtheria one and 8. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 36 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from searlet fever and 3 were from pneumonia.

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Table V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups the Occupations of social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 27th July, 1918; the Angust Bate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI.—Dunlin Registration Area and Belfast City.— Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in the corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 27th July, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 27th July, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever	• •		35	36	30	4	2	•	14
Diphtheria			4	6		4	6	1	27*
Pneumonia					8	1	1	•	8
	• •	• •	40	40	36	8	5	3	36

^{*} Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16.8 and 22.9; Dublin Registration Area, 15.9 and 23.9; Dublin City, 16.7 and 26.1; Belfast, 15.0 and 20.2; Cork, 27.2 and 31.6; Londonderry, 35.2 and 46.6; Limerick, 13.5 and 12.5; and Waterford, 11.4 and 16.2.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.9 per 1,000. Among the 113 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from whooping-cough and 9 from diarrhoad diseases. Of the 40 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from enteric fever and one is that of a child under 2 years from diarrhoad and enteritis. Included in the 27 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is one from measles, and one of a child under 2 years from diarrhoad and enteritis, and the 10 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 182—101 boys and 81 girls—and the deaths to 130—62 males and 68 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-one weeks ending Saturday, 3rd August, the death-rate averaged 20.7, and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-one weeks was 22.5, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 23.1.

The 122 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, one from measles, 2 of children under 2 years from diarrhœs and enteritis, one from cerebro-spinal meningitis, and 11 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years, one, 2 and 5; and deaths from influenza, 92, 53, and 25 respectively. There were no deaths from enteric fever or cerebro-spinal meningitis registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 26 from pulmonary tuberculosis and 5 from other forms of the disease), as against 31, 33, and 31, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Two deaths were caused by cancer, 5 by pneumonia (comprising 2 by lobar pneumonia, and 3 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, one to congenital malformation, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

One death was caused by drowning and one by suicide.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 28 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 122 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 3rd instant in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13.1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 13.1, and for Edinburgh 12.4.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 3rd August. From this Report it appears that of 48 cases notified, 14 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 other forms of tuberculosis, 14 diphtheria, 9 scarlet fever, 3 erysipelas, 3 enteric fever, and one of cerebro-spinal fever, Among the 382 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 162 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 73 of scarlet fever, 36 of diphtheria, 26 of measles, 8 of cerebro-spinal fever, 7 of erysipelas, 6 of enteric fever, and 4 of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 3rd August, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella,	Whooping-cough	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 3rd August, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 4; measles 7 and 18; scarlet fever 11 and 30*: and diphtheria 2 and 8. Nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 37 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from pneumonia.

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PABLE 11. ISLIEURS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 3rd August, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in 1918). In the PRINCIPAL GAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Reinfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

middle of 1917, and that for Chascow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted are supplied by Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Linearick taken at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (c) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Classrevin.

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TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 3rd August, 1918; the Annual Death Rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death, also the Number of Uncertified Deaths. REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY. SED AUGIST 1918

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Table VIII. Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health. Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 3rd August, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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TABLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 3rd August, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever		36	30	27	11		•	18
Diphtheria	• •	6	8			8		30*
Pneumonia		40	36	36	· 2 9	2 5	3	8 37

^{*} Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 10TH AUGUST, 1918.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 14.7 and 19.1; Dublin Registration Area, 15.3 and 19.6; Dublin City, 17.1 and 21.5; Belfast, 13.5 and 16.5; Cork, 19.0 and 30.1; Londonderry, 7.8 and 31.3; Limerick.

21.7 and 15.2; and Waterford, 11.4 and 13.3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.6 per 1,000. Among the 102 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, and 10 from diarrheal diseases. The 28 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever, and 2 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 4 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is from whooping-cough; and the 15 deaths from all causes for Clonmel include one from each of enteric fever and scarlet fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 220—108 boys and 112 girls—and the deaths to 129—64 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15.3 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-two weeks ending with Saturday, 10th August the death-rate averaged 20.5 and was 1.1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-two weeks was 22.3, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23.0.

The 117 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, 11 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 5 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered 0, one, and one; deaths from whooping-cough, 5, 2, and 0; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2, 5, and 2; and deaths from influenza 53, 25, and 11, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 26 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meringitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 33, 31, and 31, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by pneumonia (3 being by broncho-pneumonia, one by lobar-pneumonia, and 4 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis.

There were two deaths by violence, including one by accidental drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over

Of the 117 deaths recorded, 40 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 10th August, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.5), was equal to an average death-rate of 10.4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population. The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12.4, and for Edinburgh 10.5.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 10th August. From this Report it appears that of 47 cases notified, 21 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 other forms of tuberculosis, 5 searlet fever, 4 diphtheria, 3 enteric fever, and one erysipelas. Among the 386 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 165 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 69 of scarlet fever, 39 of diphtheria, 38 of measles, 10 of cerebro-spinal fever, 9 of enteric fever, 5 of erysipelas, and 5 of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 10th August, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 10th August, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 6; measles 3 and 17; scarlet fever 4 and 30*; and diphtheria 3 and 11. Nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 31 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of measles and pneumonia.

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Table III.- Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups the Occupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 10th August, 1918; the Annual Death Rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table VIII. Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 10th August, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinsl Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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^{*} Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 16.6 and 17.0; Dublin Registration Area, 17.6 and 17.2; Dublin City, 19.8 and 18.9; Belfast, 15.7 and 15.4; Cork, 17.0 and 25.0; Londonderry, 20.9 and 23.5; Limerick,

16.2 and 15.6; and Waterford, 15.2 and 13.3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.6 per 1,000. Among the 118 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough, and 14 from diarrheal diseases. The 25 deaths from all causes for Cork include 5 from diarrheal diseases. Of the 16 deaths from all causes for Londonderry, 3 are from measles, and 2 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from each of enteric fever and diphtheria. Whooping-cough caused one of the 4 deaths recorded for Dundalk. Of the 6 deaths from all causes for Lurgan, one is from whooping-cough, and one death from measles is included in the 6 deaths from all causes for Newry.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 239-142 boys and 97 girls—and the deaths to 143—77 males and 66 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-three weeks ending 17th August, the death rate averaged 20.5, and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-three weeks was 22.2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.8.

The 135 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 22 from diarrhœa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 5 from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal

meningitis.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 0, 1, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, 0, and 2; deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 5, 2, and 11; deaths from influenza 25. 11, and 5; and deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis, 0, 1, and 0, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (comprising 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 31, 31, and 26, respectively,

in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 7 by pneumonia (comprising 6 by broncho-pneumonia, and one by pneumonia, type no: distinguished), 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 20 to diarrhea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

One death (that of a child aged 15 months) was caused by scalds.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 40 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 135 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 17th August, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.8), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 10.4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population. The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10.9, and for Edinburgh 8.0.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 17th August. From this Report it appears that of 33 cases notified, 10 were scarlet fever, 9 pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 other forms of tuberculosis, 7 diphtheria, 3 crysipelas, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 382 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 161 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 76 of scarlet fever, 42 of diphtheria, 24 of measles, 11 of cerebro-spinal fever, 9 of enterio fever, 5 of erysipelas, and 5 of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 17th August, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts.	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexis (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of eases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 17th August, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows: Enteric fever one and 5; measles 5 and 14; scarlet fever 9 and 32*; and diplatheria nil and 8. Two cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week, and 24 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was frem enteric fever.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Table V.-Showing in Five General Classes and Elgereen Groups the Occupations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday.
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Table VI.--Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.- Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in the corresponding week of the present admitted from without the respective areas).

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 17th August, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membraneus Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total,
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 17th August, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 15.8 and 16.0; Dublin Registration Area, 18.6 and 16.9; Dublin City, 19.5 and 18.3; Belfast, 14.3 and 14.6; Cork, 19.7 and 20.7; Londonderry, 20.9 and 21.2; Limerick, 16.2 and 16.9; and Waterford, 9.5 and 11.9.

The destricts from certain epidemic likewise registered in the 19 town districts during last week

were equal to an annual rate of 3.0 per 1,000. Among the 108 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 19 from diarrheal diseases. Of the 29 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from whooping-cough and 3 are of children under 2 years from diarrhea and enteritis. Four of the 16 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from diarrheal diseases. The 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick include 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and one death of a child under 2 years from diarrhee and enteritis. Of the 3 deaths recorded for Galway one is from diphtheria, and one of a child under 2 years from diarrhoea and enteritis. One of the 3 deaths for Lisburn is from whooping-cough; and one of the 2 deaths for Portadown is also from this disease.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 198-99 boys and 99 girls—and the deaths to 157—82 males and 75 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-four weeks ending Saturday, 24th August, the death-rate averaged 20.4, and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-four weeks was 22·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten

The 142 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from measles, 4 from whooping-cough, 24 from diarrheal diseases, and 6 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles numbered one, 2, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, 0, 2 and 2; deaths from diarrheal diseases, 2, 11, and 22; and deaths from influenza, 11, 5, and 5 respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 25 deaths (comprising 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of the disease), as against 31, 26, and 18, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 4 by pneumonia (comprising 2 by broncho-pneumonia, one by lobar pneumonia, and one by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to simple meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 20 to diarrhoa and enteritis, 7 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

One death was caused by drowning and one by a tramcar.

Fifty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 39 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 28 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 142 deaths recorded, 46 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts, † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheeal diseases

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 24th August in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9.6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10.8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 9.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.0, and for Edinburgh 8.3.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 24th August. From this Report it appears that of 30 cases notified, 10 were scarlet fever, 7 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 6 diphtheria, one erysipelas, and one enteric fever. Among the 354 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 156 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 74 of scarlet fever, 41 of diphtheria, 14 of measles, 11 of cerebro-spinal fever, 9 of enteric fever, 6 of whooping-cough, and 5 of erysipelas.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.: -the City of Dutlin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pombroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 24th August, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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Table IX, exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 24th August, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows: - Enteric fever, 4 and 8; measles, 6 and 17; searlet fever, 8 and 33*; and diphoneria, 5 and 9. Twelve cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 26 remained under treatment at its close.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE VI.-Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.--Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in the corresponding week of the previous ten years (arclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

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TABLE VII.—Showing, by Registrars, Districts, the Number of Births and Deaths in the Cities of Urban Districts of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 24th August, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of persons admitted from without each City being omitted, and all other Deaths in In. titutions distributed according to the Instituted from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the Annual Rate* of Montality per 1,000 of the Population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the Deaths from all Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain Agr Periods 1919, represented by the Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 24th August, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever,	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 24th August, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN **BIRTHS** and **DEATHS**

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WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 31ST AUGUST, 1918.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :-

Nineteen Town Districts, 14·2 and 15·3; Dublin Registration Area, 17·0 and 17·1; Dublin City, 18·1 and 18·6; Belfast, 12·7 and 14·1; Cork, 17·7 and 18·3; Londonderry, 15·6 and 16·3; Limerick,

14.9 and 17.2; and Waterford, 1.9 and 9.5.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week Among the 96 deaths from all causes for Belfast are were equal to an annual rate of 2.5 per 1,000. one from measles, one from diphtheria, and 8 from diarrheal diseases. The 26 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from whooping-cough and 4 from diarrhee and enteritis of children under 2 years. Two of the 12 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from diarrheal diseases. Included in the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from whooping-cough. One of the 2 deaths from all causes for Drogheda is from whooping-cough. Of the 4 deaths from all causes for Lisburn one is from enteric fever and one from whooping-cough, and one of the 3 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 224-119 boys and 105 girls—and the deaths to 135—73 males and 62 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 5) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.0 per 1.000 of the population. During the thirty-five weeks ending with Saturday, 31st August, the death-rate averaged 20.3 and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-five weeks was 22.0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.7.

The 130 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from whooping-cough, one from influenza, and 26 from diarrheal diseases.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough numbered 2, 2, and 4; deaths from influenza 5, 5, and 6; and deaths from diarrhoad diseases, 11, 22, and 24, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 10 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 26, 18, and 25, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis, 6 by pneumonia (comprising 8 by broncho-pneumonia, 2 by lobar pneumonia, and one by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 4 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 22 to diarrhea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

There were 2 accidental deaths, one (that of an infant) being caused by suffocation in bed. Forty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 35 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 21 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 14 were 70 years of age or over.

Or the 130 deaths recorded, 44 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts wil be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal diseases

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 31st August in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10·5), was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11·2 per 1.000 of the estimated civil population. The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 9·4 per 1.000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 9·2, and for Edinburgh 9·2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 31st August. From this Report it appears that of 45 cases notified, 13 were diphtheria, 12 scarlet fever, 5 pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 5 crysipelas, one enteric fever, and one puerperal fever. Among the 329 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 147 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 65 of scarlet fever, 41 of diphtheria, 11 of measles, 10 of cerebro-spinal fever, 10 of enteric fever, 7 of crysipelas, and 6 of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 31st August, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 31st August. 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 9, measles 2 and 10, scarlet fever 2 and 30*; and diphtheria 5 and 9. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 25 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria, and 3 were from pneumonia.

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TABLE VI. Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in the corresponding week of the present admitted from without the respective areas.

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 31st August, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup,	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid. Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 31st August, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases;	Aug. 10.	Aug. 17.	Aug. 24	No. admitted.	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.			
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Measles	17	14	17	2	9		10			
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Pneumonia	31	24	26	11	9	;;	25			

^{*} Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 14·2 and 15·2; Dublin Registration Area, 17·3 and 17·6; Dublin City, 17·8 and 18·8; Belfast, 11·3 and 13·5; Cork, 13·6 and 17·0; Londonderry, 15·6 and 18·2; Limerick,

14.9 and 15.5; and Waterford, 17.1 and 10.9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.5 per 1,000. Among the 85 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 3 from enteric fever, 10 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under two years, and one from cerebrospinal fever. The 20 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 12 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from measles, and 3 are from diarrhoal diseases, and included in the 4 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is one from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 170-90 boys and 80 girls-and the deaths to 145-75 males and 70 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.3 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-six weeks ending 7th September, the death-rate averaged 20.2, and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-six weeks was 21.9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten

The 132 deaths appertaining to the Area include 3 from enteric fever, one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, and 24 from diarrheal diseases.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered one, 0, and 0; deaths from measles 0, one and 0; deaths from whooping-cough, 2, 4 and 2; deaths from influenza, 5, 6, and one; and deaths from diarrhocal diseases, 22, 24, and 26 respectively. There were no deaths registered from scarlet fever or diphtheria in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (comprising 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 18, 25, and 31, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by pneumonia (comprising 2 by broncho-pneumonia, and 7 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 19 to diarrhea and enteritis. 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

There were no deaths by violence relating to the Registration Area.

Forty-six of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 37 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 132 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 7th September, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11·4) was equal to an average death-rate of 11·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 11.7, and for Edinburgh 9.9.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 7th September. From this Report it appears that of 46 cases notified, 13 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 11 other forms of tuberculosis, 12 scarlet fever, 9 diphtheria, and one enteric fever. Among the 321 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 150 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 63 of scarlet fever, 40 of diphtheria, 10 of cerebro-spinal fever, 9 of enteric fever, 6 of measles, 6 of erysipelas, and 5 of whooping-cough.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pambroke Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 7th September, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts,	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 7th September, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever, 3 and 8; measles, 4 and 10; searlet fever, 4 and 25*; and diphtheria, 3 and 7. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 26 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from enteric fever, one was from each of measles, scarlet fever and diphtheria, and 2 were from pneumonia.

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TARE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in the corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 7th September, 1918.

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TABLE IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 7th September, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever			32	33	30	4	8	1	25*
Diphtheria:		* *	8	9	9	3	. 4	1	7
Pneumonia	9.9	• =	24	26	25	8	5	2	26

^{*} Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 14TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 16.0 and 15.1; Dublin Registration Area, 19.1 and 18.0; Dublin City, 20.7 and 19.0; Belfast, 14.5 and 13.2; Cork, 15.0 and 16.5; Londonderry, 10.4 and 15.6; Limerick,

10·8 and 14·2; and Waterford, 19·0 and 11·9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2.4 per 1,000. Among the 109 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 10 from diarrhoad diseases. The 22 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from whooping-cough and 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Three of the 8 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from diarrheal diseases.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 213-99 boys and 114 girls-and the deaths to 152-74 males and 78 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 19.1 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-seven weeks ending Saturday, 14th September, the death-rate averaged 20.2, and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-seven weeks was 21.9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 22.5.

The 146 deaths appertaining to the Area include 4 from whooping-cough, 24 from diarrheea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough numbered 4, 2, and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 23, 24, and 23, and deaths from influenza, 6, one, and 2 respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 31 deaths (comprising 27 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 25, 31, and 21, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by pneumonia (5 being by broncho-pneumonia, 2 by lobar pneumonia, and 2 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was by simple meningitis, 2 were by convulsions, one was assigned to congenital malformation, 3 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

There were 3 violent deaths, one being due to drowning, and one was a case of homicide.

Forty-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 40 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 24 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 146 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts, † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 14th September, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10.5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 10.6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.0, and for Edinburgh 10.8.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 14th September. From this Report it appears that of 40 cases notified, 17 were scarlet fever, 9 diphtheria, 5 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, one erysipelas, one enteric fever, one puerperal fever, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 317 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 144 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 68 of scarlet fever, 46 of diphtheria, 9 of enteric fever, 8 of cerebro-spinal fever, 5 of measles, 5 of erysipelas, 5 of whooping-cough, and one of puerperal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 14th September, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles,	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Diarrhoeal Diseases	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 14th September, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week, and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever, 3 and 10; measles, 3 and 10; scarlet fever, 8 and 28*; and diphtheria, 7 and 11. Seven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 of diphtheria and pneumonia.

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TABLE 11.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 14th September, 1918, in the Dublin Redistration Area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Under described from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

middle of 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glassewin, (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

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Table IV.—Showing for the Week ended 14th September, 1918, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registratus. Districts in the Dublin Abea, the Annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain ago-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 14th September, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric of Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Cerebro-spinal Fever,	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday 14th September, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital,

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:-

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·1 and 14·9; Dublin Registration Area, 16·9 and 17·6; Dublin City, 19·0 and 18·9; Belfast 14·5 and 13·3; Cork, 8·8 and 13·8; Londonderry, 22·2 and 15·9; Limerick,

17.6 and 14.6; and Waterford, 15.2 and 13.3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.6 per 1,000. Among the 109 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, and 5 from diarrhoal diseases. The 13 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever, and 5 from diarrhoeal diseases. The 13 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from measles, one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years; and 4 of the 17 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from diarrhoeal diseases.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 177-90 boys

and 87 girls—and the deaths to 140-66 males and 74 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-eight weeks ending with Saturday, 21st September, the death-rate averaged 20·1 and was 1.0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-eight weeks was 21.8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.5.

The 129 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, one from dysentery, one from cerebro-spinal meningitis, and 14 from diarrhœa and

enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough numbered 2, one, and 4; deaths from diphtheria 0, one, and 0; deaths from influenza one. 2, and 2: and deaths from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 24, 23, and 24, respectively. There were no deaths from dysentery or cerebro-spinal meningitis registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (comprising 9 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (comprising 9 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous

meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 31, 21, and 31, respectively, in the three

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 3 by simple meningitis, 11 by pneumonia (comprising one by broncho-pneumonia. 2 by lobar pneumonia, and 8 by pneumonia, type not distinguished). 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 5 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 7 to diarrheea and

enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

There were 3 accidental deaths, one being caused by drowning, and one by gunshot wounds. Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 129 deaths recorded, 41 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts, † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st September in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11.9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11.7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11.6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 12.8 and for Edinburgh 11.7.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 21st September. From this Report it appears that of 48 cases notified, 27 were scarlet fever, 6 diphtheria, 5 pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 enteric fever, and 2 erysipelas, Among the 327 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 144 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 83 of scarlet fever, 40 of diphtheria, 13 of enteric fever, 8 of whooping-cough, 7 of cerebro-spinal fever, 5 of erysipelas, 2 of measles, and one of puerperal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 21st September, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 21st September 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 14; measles 2 and 7; scarlet fever 10 and 37*; and diphtheria 4 and 10. Nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria, and 3 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

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Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal. Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

(a) According to the Census of 1911. but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page.
(c) It have noted by the condition of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Recums are received have been adopted in several areas at the nearest stations from which Recums are received have been adopted in England, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Muneret College Survey Office, Phon. Lishum, Park. (c) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Classnevin. (q) Including one death from eerebro-spinal meningitis,

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† See note (†) at foot of first page

Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 21st September, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 21st September, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diphtheria,	••	• •	9	7	11	4	4	I	10
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^{*} Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

REGISTRATION AREA, DUBLIN

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 14.6 and 15.0; Dublin Registration Area, 20.0 and 18.3; Dublin City, 21.0 and 19.6; Belfast 10.2 and 12.6; Cork, 16.3 and 13.4; Londonderry, 11.7 and 15.0; Limerick,

 $16 \cdot 2$ and $14 \cdot 9$; and Waterford, $13 \cdot 3$ and $16 \cdot 1$.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.9 per 1,000. Among the 77 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 2 deaths for Lisburn is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 199-103 boys

and 96 girls—and the deaths to 161—80 males and 81 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20.0 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-nine weeks ending with Saturday, 28th September, the death-rate averaged 20·1 and was 0.9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. for all deaths registered during the thirty-nine weeks was 21.7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.4.

The 153 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 8 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 7 from influenza.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 3, 0, and 0; deaths from whooping-cough one, 4, and 2; deaths from diarrhoal diseases 24, 24, and 14; and deaths from influenza 2, 2, and 2 respectively:

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (comprising 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meringitis, and 3 from other forms of the disease), as against 21, 31, and 16, respectively, in the three

weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 23 by pneumonia (comprising 4 by broncho-pneumonia, 2 by lobar pneumonia, and 17 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility. There were 3 deaths by accidental violence, one of which, that of a child aged 15 months, was

caused by scalds. Thirty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 19 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 153 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 28th September in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 18.6 and for Edinburgh 11.9.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 28th September. From this Report it appears that of 60 cases notified, 22 were scarlet fever, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 11 diphtheria, 7 crysipelas, and 3 enteric fever, Among the 355 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 141 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 98 of scarlet fever, 41 of diphtheria, 16 of enteric fever, 9 of whooping-cough, 8 of crysipelas, 5 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of measles, and one of puerperal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 28th September, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox, Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total,
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

(b) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals,

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 28th September 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 9 and 20; measles nil and 4; scarlet fever 15 and 42*; and diphtheria 6 and 14. Twenty-two cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 40 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from enteric fever, and 5 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 28th September, 1918, in the Dublin Browser, and the Number of the Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table IV.—Showing for the Week ender 28cm September 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registraters Districts and the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Public Institutions being assigned to the District from which the decayed more admitted.

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TABLE VI.— Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ton years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areae.)

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 28th September, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total,
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 28th September, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Small-pox,							
Measles,	. 10	10	7		3		4
Scarlet Fever	. 25	28	37	15	10		42*
Diphtheria,	. 7	11	10	6	2		1
Pneumonia,	. 26	30	28	22	5	5	14

^{*} Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns

OF

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QUARTER ENDING SATURDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.

[No. 39A.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin, and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 28th September, 1918, Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 28th September, 1918, 2,634 births—1,371 boys and 1,263 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 26·4 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 2,181, equivalent to an annual rate of $28 \cdot 6$ in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 453, equal to an annual rate of $19 \cdot 3$ in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of $15 \cdot 7$ per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth-rate was $20 \cdot 8$ per 1,000, and in Edinburgh $15 \cdot 9$ per 1,000.

Deaths.—Omitting the deaths (137) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 1,996, were equivalent to an annual rate of $20\cdot0$ per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being $17\cdot6$. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 2.133-1.078 males and 1.055 females—affording an annual ratio of $21\cdot4$ area during the estimated population, as compared with $18\cdot8$ per 1.000 for the third quarter of the ten years, 1908-1917.

The number of deaths of inhabitants* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 849, representing an annual mortality of $21\cdot0$ in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 813, equivalent to a rate of $22\cdot7$ per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 334, being equal to an annual death-rate of $14\cdot2$ in every 1,000.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 12·3 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 12·8 per 1,000, of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 11·6 per 1,000.

^{*} The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

CAUSES OF DEATH IN DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

The number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* registered in the Dublin Registration Area during last quarter was 222, being equal to an annual rate of 2.22 per 1,000 of the population.

ENTERIC FEVER.—During the 13 weeks ended 28th September 6 deaths from this cause were registered, as compared with 9, 8, and 6 respectively in the three quarters preceding and an average of 11 for the third quarter of the 5 years, 1913-17. Of the 6 deaths recorded for the quarter under notice, one belonged to North City, No. 1, East; one to North City, No. 1, West; 3 to South City, No. 4; and one to the urban district of Rathmines and Rathgar. From Table I. it may be seen that 38 cases of enteric fever were treated in Dublin hospitals during the quarter. Of these, 13 were discharged, and 5 died, leaving 20 cases under treatment at the close of the quarter.

Typhus.—No deaths from typhus were registered, and no cases of this disease were treated in Dublin hospitals.

SMALL-POX.—No case of this disease was reported.

MEASLES.—There were 8 deaths registered from this cause during the quarter, the number of such deaths in the three quarters preceding being 26, 38, and 49 respectively, with an average of 11 for the third quarter of the 5 years, 1913-17. Of the 8 deaths, 4 belonged to North City districts, 3 to South City districts, and one to the urban district of Rathmines and Rathgar. There were 84 cases of the disease treated in hospital; of these 77 were discharged and 3 died, leaving 4 cases undergoing treatment at the close of the quarter.

Scarlet Fever.—Three deaths from this cause were registered, as compared with an average of 7 for the corresponding period of the 5 years, 1913-17. Of the 3 deaths recorded for the period under notice, one was recorded for each of the districts of South City Nos. 3 and 4, and one for New Kilmainham. In the Dublin Hospitals 135 cases of scarlet fever were treated during the quarter; 90 of these were discharged, and 3 died, leaving 42† cases in hospital at the close of the quarter.

Whooping-cough caused 33 deaths, the numbers in the three preceding quarters being 21, 60, and 91 respectively, with an average of 13 for the corresponding period of the 5 years, 1913-17. Of the 33 deaths, 7 belonged to North City districts, 18 to South City districts, one to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, 3 to Pembroke, 2 to Blackrock, and one to Kingstown, and one death was that of a child admitted from without the Dublin Registration Area.

DIPHTHERIA.—Five deaths from this cause were reported, the average for the corresponding period of the five years, 1913-17, being 12, and the number in the three quarters preceding that under review 16, 11, and 8 respectively. Of the 5 deaths, 2 belonged to North City districts, 2 to South City No. 3 district, and one was of a person admitted from without the Dublin Registration Area. The cases of this disease which were treated in Dublin hospitals during the period under notice were 51 in number; of these 32 were discharged, and 5 died, leaving 14 cases undergoing treatment at the close of the quarterly period.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Included under this heading are the deaths of 160 children under the age of 2 years, the average number of such deaths for the corresponding period of the 5 years, 1913-17, being 200. Of the 160 deaths, 82 belonged to North City districts, 60 to South City districts, 16 to the urban districts, and 2 were deaths of children admitted from without the Registration Area.

INFLUENZA.—The deaths returned under this heading were 252 in number (equivalent to a rate of 2·53 per 1,000 of the population, the average number of such deaths for the corresponding period of the 5 years, 1913-17, being 4. In the December, March and June quarters preceding that under notice the number of deaths from influenza was 2, 20, and 24 respectively. Of the 252 deaths recorded during the quarter 23, or 9·1 per cent., were those of children under 5 years of age; 15, or 6·0 per cent., were aged 5 and under 15 years; 48, or 19·0 per cent., were those of persons aged 15 and under 25; 98, or 38·9, were aged 25 and under 45 years; and 68, or 27·0 per cent. were aged 45 years and upwards.

The deaths from influenza relating to the North City districts numbered 103, affording an annual rate of 2.54 per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the South City districts the number was 110, or 3.07 per 1,000; and for the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown the deaths were 33, equivalent to an annual rate of 1.41 per 1,000 of the estimated population of these districts.

The total number of deaths from influenza and pneumonia, with which the present epidemic is so closely associated, recorded during the period under notice was 447, or 21 per cent. of the total number of deaths from all causes registered during the quarter, and equivalent to an annual rate of $4\cdot48$ per 1,000 of the population. Of the 447 deaths, 80, or $17\cdot9$ per cent., were those of children under 5 years of age; 32, or $7\cdot2$ per cent., occurred at the age-period, 5-15; 72, or $16\cdot1$ per cent., were of persons 15 and under 25 years of age; 153, or $34\cdot2$ per cent., were between 25 and 45; and 110, or $24\cdot6$ per cent., were deaths of persons 45 years of age and upwards.

CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.—Three deaths from this cause were registered, the number of such deaths in each of the three preceding quarters being one.

Tuberculous disease caused 374 deaths, of which 281 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 30 from tuberculous meningitis, 17 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 46 from other forms of tuberculous disease. The 374 deaths are equivalent to a rate of 3.75 per 1,000 of the population, and are 59 above the average for the corresponding period of the five years, 1913-17.

For the city 306 deaths from tuberculous disease were registered, equivalent to a rate of 4.01 per 1,000 of the population; for the North City districts such deaths numbered 157, equivalent to a rate of 3.88 per 1,000 of the population, and for the South City districts 149, or 4.16 per 1,000.

The number of deaths from tuberculous disease for the urban districts was 44 (or 1.87 per 1,000). Of these, 19 deaths (or 1.94 per 1,000) belonged to Rathmines and Rathgar; 13 (or 1.77 per 1,000, to Pembroke; 4 (or 1.80 per 1,000) to Blackrock; and 8 (or 1.94 per 1,000) to Kingstown.

CANCER.—Deaths from carcinoma, sarcoma, and cancer, malignant disease which are comprised under this heading were 126 in number, equivalent to a rate of 1·26 per 1,000 of the population. In the three preceding quarters deaths from cancer were 120, 132, and 138 respectively, the average for the corresponding period of the five years, 1913-17, being 122.

PNEUMONIA.—The deaths under this heading were 195 in number, comprising 64 from bronchopneumonia, 25 from lobar pneumonia, and 106 from pneumonia (type not distinguished). The 195 deaths are equivalent to a rate of 1.95 per 1,000 of the population, the average number of such deaths for the corresponding period of the five years, 1913-17, being 80. (See also under Influenza).

DISEASES OF THE BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM.—The deaths under this heading numbered 155 (equivalent to 1.55 per 1,000 of the population), as against 179, 204, and 195 in the three preceding quarters, and an average of 178 in the third quarter of the five years, 1913-17. Included in the 155 deaths are 33 deaths from convulsions, all of which were those of children under 5 years.

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.—There were 168 deaths assigned to diseases of the circulatory system, representing a rate of 1.68 per 1,000 of the population, and including 138 deaths from organic diseases of the heart.

Bronchitis.—Bronchitis caused 141 deaths, equivalent to a rate of 1·41 per 1,000 of the population, the average number of such deaths in the corresponding quarter of the five years, 1913-17, being 110.

Congenital Conditions.—There were 6 deaths from congenital malformations, 32 from premature birth, and 54 from congenital debility.

VIOLENCE.—There were 31 deaths under this heading. Of these 7 were caused by drowning, 3 (all being of children under 5 years of age) by burns or scalds, 3 by gunshot wounds, and 2 by railway accidents. The 31 deaths include one by homicide, and 2 by suicide.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 28th September, 1918.

Diseases.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died	No. under treatment on above date.
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^{*} Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the convalescent home of Cork-street Fever Hospital.

In 38 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 38 cases, 15 (or 39.5 per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 107 infants under one month old registered, there were 8 (or 7.5 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table III., page 390f, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases† in the Dublin Registration Area was $2 \cdot 2$ per 1,000, that in the City it was $2 \cdot 5$, and in the urban districts $1 \cdot 1$, the rates for the several districts varying from $0 \cdot 0$ in Clontarf and Howth, No. 1, part of, to $4 \cdot 3$ in North City, No. 1, East, the 193 deaths from all causes for that district including one from enteric fever, 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 26 from diarrhœal diseases.

Occupations.—From Table IV., page 390g, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of $13\cdot 6$ per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was $13\cdot 5$ per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was $18\cdot 7$; and in the "General Service Class" it was $21\cdot 6$.

390d Quarterly Summary of Births and Deaths in the Dublin Registration Area, &c.

AGES.—Of the 2,133 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 547 were under 5 years of age, including 356 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 135 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of $53 \cdot 5$ in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of $6 \cdot 2$ per 1,000 persons at that age-period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of $9 \cdot 3$ per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of $17 \cdot 6$ per 1,000 of the population at that age-period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was $14 \cdot 4$; for those between 45 and 65 it was $30 \cdot 0$; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was $54 \cdot 0$; and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death rate was $122 \cdot 3$ per 1,000. The deaths of 11 persons aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

Public Institutions.—Of the 2,133 deaths recorded during the quarter, 871, or 40·8 per cent., occurred in public institutions, viz., 542 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums: 326 in the North and South Dublin Union Workhouses; and 3 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

Weather.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park, was $56 \cdot 3^{\circ}$. At Greenwich it was $61 \cdot 6^{\circ}$; at Glasgow, $55 \cdot 6^{\circ}$; and at Edinburgh, $55 \cdot 3^{\circ}$.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured $10\cdot94$ inches; at Greenwich, $11\cdot81$ inches; at Glasgow, $13\cdot01$ inches; and at Edinburgh, $9\cdot51$ inches.

NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table II., the annual death-rate represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 18·7 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Kilkenny, 10·7; Galway, 11·2; Sligo, 12·5; Dundalk, 13·1; Waterford, 13·5; Clonmel, 14·5; Wexford, 14·6; Limerick, 14·7; Tralee, 15·1; Portadown, 15·3; Newry, 16·4; Ballymena, 16·5; Drogheda, 17·0; Lisburn, 17·1; Belfast, 17·8; Dublin Registration Area, 20·0; Cork, 21·3; Lurgan, 26·4; and Londonderry, 28·0.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* in the 19 districts is $1\cdot 9$ per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from $0\cdot 0$ in Kilkenny to $4\cdot 3$ in Londonderry, the 280 deaths from all causes for that district including 21 from measles, and 22 from diarrheal diseases.

The following is a synopsis of the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases* in the eighteen provincial urban districts already named, and Tables II. and V. give in detail the results of the registration for the quarter:—

ENTERIC FEVER.—Of the 19 deaths from this disease, 8 belonged to Belfast, 5 to Cork, 2 to each of Lisburn and Ballymena, and one to each of Limerick and Clonmel.

TYPHUS.—There was no mortality from this disease during the quarter.

SMALL-POX.—No deaths from small-pox were recorded.

Measles.—The 37 deaths from this cause include 21 deaths belonging to Londonderry, 6 to Belfast, 5 to Cork, and 3 to Tralee.

SCARLET FEVER.—Of the 2 deaths from this cause, one belonged to Cork and one to Clonmel.

Whooping-cough,—Of the 58 deaths from whooping-cough, 27 belonged to Belfast, 9 to Cork, 8 to Lurgan, 4 to each of Limerick and Lisburn, 3 to Dundalk, 2 to Drogheda, and one to Portadown.

DIPHTHERIA.—Included in the 10 deaths under this heading are 4 belonging to Belfast, 3 to Limerick, and one to each of Galway, Lisburn, and Ballymena.

DIARRHEAL DISEASES.—Deaths of children under 2 years of age from diarrhæa and enteritis numbered 152, and of these 99 belonged to Belfast, 24 to Cork, 12 to Londonderry, 3 to each of Galway and Lisburn, and 2 to each of Waterford, Portadown, Sligo, and Tralee.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis.—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was $2\cdot 3$ per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was $2\cdot 7$ per 1,000; for Belfast county borough $2\cdot 5$ per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast), it was $1\cdot 8$ per 1,000. (See Table II.).

^{*} Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whocping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal diseases.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS Registered during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 28th September, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), with the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table III.—Showing for the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 28th September, 1918, the number of Draths of Residents of the several Registrates. Districts in the Dublin Registration Registration Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths; the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE IV .- Showing, in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups, the Occupation of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 28th September, 1918; the Annual Death Rate represented by the Deaths Registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·4 and 15·3; Dublin Registration Area. 21·3 and 19·3; Dublin City, 23·4 and 21·0; Belfast 9·6 and 12·2; Cork, 12·9 and 13·3; Londonderry, 20·9 and 16·3; Limerick,

14.9 and 14.9; and Waterford, 17.1 and 16.1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 72 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 6 from diarrheal diseases. The 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 167-76 boys

and 91 girls—and the deaths to 176—84 males and 92 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty weeks ending with Saturday, 5th October, the death-rate averaged 20·1 and was 0·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty weeks was 21.8 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years

The 163 deaths appertaining to the Area include 3 from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 10 from influenza, one from cerebro-spinal fever, and 12

from diarrheal diseases.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 0, 0 and one; deaths from whooping-cough 4, 2 and 2; deaths from diphtheria 0, one and 0; deaths from influenza 2, 2, and 7; deaths from cerebro-spinal fever or cerebro-spinal meningitis 0, one and 0; and deaths from diarrhoal There were no deaths from searlet fever registered in the three diseases 24, 14, and 8 respectively:

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tulerculous meringitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 31, 16, and 19, respectively, in the three

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis. 30 by pneumonia (comprising 8 by broncho-pneumonia, 10 by lobar pneumonia, and 12 by pneumonia, type not distinguished). 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 7 to diarrhea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

There were 2 accidental deaths, one being caused by inhalation of chloroform, and one by a vehicle. Forty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 163 deaths recorded, 69 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

^{*} Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœa l diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th October, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12.7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12.6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 26.2 and for Edinburgh 13.8.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 5th October. From this Report it appears that of 65 cases notified, 23 were scarlet fever, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 9 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 diphtheria, 5 crysipelas, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 374 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 138 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 114 of scarlet fever, 47 of diphtheria, 16 of enteric fever, 7 of erysipelas, 7 of whooping-cough, 6 of cerebro-spinal fever, and 4 of measles.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 5th October, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus. Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.(b) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 5th October, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 7 and 23; measles 3 and 5; scarlet fever 14 and 50*; and diphtheria 4 and 13. Seventeen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 37 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 3 were from enteric fever, one was from scarlet fever, and 9 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 5th October, 1918, in the Dublin Registration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Ubbrand Districts, the Number of Daths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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TABLE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. -Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1917.

VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the Number of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 5th Ordober, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each Gity being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deserted persons were admitted; with the Annual Annual RATE* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain Are Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c. Number of Uncertified Deaths (29) 22 No. of Deaths in Public Lastitu Inquest Cases. -eoneloiV E spandn pur 2 years of age Diarrhos, o sisting and Enterities of the street of th 10 (74) Cther RESPIR ATORY OF THE SYSTEM Pneumenia Cancer FROM 67 cv. Other Forms CULOSIS TUBER DEATHS 63 - --Pulmomary. Dysentery. (18) Diphtheria. 17) Mhooping-cough. Scarlet Fever. DEATHS (15) Measies (14), Small-pox. Typhus (12) Enteric Fever. -0 - 07 65 years and upwards. 9 01-0100H · · 01-000-19 45 and under 65 years DEATH ಾ 12 Tebau ban 62 AT 13 5 and under 25 years. AGES 9 I year and under 5 years. (E) (9) period (a. d. s. d. s. d. Under I year 447940 . . 76981 . 4 0110-001401 19 Total Number of DEATHS. 27 (9) 8.0 Annual Rate* of represented by Mortality per 1,000 of the (4) Population Deaths from in 1911 13.1 7.3 9.6 12.9 9.6 7.8 5.3 17.1 16.7 18.0 6.5 12.9 (3) 10 0 H 4 83 83 90 35 113 120 20 34 5 195 (2) No. of BIRTHS, 15,879 49,500 50,032 32,637 37,293 2,681 2,681 2,964 28,427 28,958 38,911 38,311 175 386,947 76,673 1911. Popula Census (1) tion 1 DISTRICT, 1 DISTRICT, REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS OF BELFAST. CORK 8 6 0 1 2 2 4 5 No. UBBAN No. CITY OF URBAN Total. Total CORK Do. Do. Do. Do.

Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 5th October, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 5th October, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diseases,	Sept. 14.	Sept. 21.	Sept. 28.	No. admitted	Dis- charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
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Measles,	10	7	4	3	2	•	. 5
Scarlet Fever	28	37	42	14.	5	1	50*
Diphtheria,	11	10	14	4	5	•	13
Pneumonia,	30	28	40	17	11	9	37

^{*} Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·4 and 15·6; Dublin Registration Area, 24·6 and 20·7; Dublin City, 25·0 and 22·1; Belfast 14·1 and 12·1; Cork, 14·3 and 13·1; Londonderry, 10·4 and 16·3; Limerick,

9.5 and 14.6; and Waterford, 13.3 and 14.7.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 106 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enseric fever, one from measles, and 5 from diarrhoeal diseases. The 21 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and enteric fever caused one of the 2 deaths recorded for Lisburn.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 177-94 boys and 83 girls—and the deaths to 203—102 males and 101 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-one weeks ending with Saturday, 12th October, the death-rate averaged 20.2 and was 0.7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-one weeks was 21.9 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.3.

The 188 deaths appertaining to the Area include one from enteric fever, one from searlet fever, one from diphtheria. 29 from influenza, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever numbered 0, one and 3; deaths from scarlet fever 0, 0 and one; deaths from diphtheria one 0, and 2; deaths from influenza 2, 7, and 10; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 14, 6, and 11 respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (comprising 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 6 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 16, 19, and 24, respectively, in the three weeks preceding. Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 25 by pneumonia (comprising 6 by broncho-pneumonia, 8 by lobar pneumonia, and 11 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to congenital malformation, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

There was one accidental death.

Forty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 18 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards. of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 188 deaths recorded, 86 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrham diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th October, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 14.0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 24.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 35.9 and for Edinburgh 11.6.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 12th October. From this Report it appears that of 76 cases notified, 37 were scarlet fever, 13 diphtheria, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 11 other forms of tuberculosis, 3 erysipelas, and one puerperal fever. Among the 414 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 142 of scarlet fever, 140 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 49 of diphtheria, 15 of enteric fever, 13 of measles, 7 of erysipelas, 6 of cerebro-spinal fever, and 6 of whooping-cough.

Table 1.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 12th October, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week endi ng	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tubers culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 12th October, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 26; measles nil and 2; scarlet fever 11 and 42*; and diphtheria 5 and 15. Sixty-six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 72 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 2 were from searlet fever, one was from diphtheria, and 18 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at toot of Table IX.

Table II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 12th October, 1918, in the Dublin Registration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Palinhuran and Glaszow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its cent, court parts and the Cities of Belfast and Laddoudery. The population is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (1) at foot of first page.

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(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phonix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square.

(g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal maningitis.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TATE IV.—Showing for the Week Ended 12 of October, 1918, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrates in the Dustranton Area, the annual Rule part 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Rolling Districts from the Accessed for a district for Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts described for the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the District described for the number of Uncertified

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FABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and Eighteen Groups the Ucouparions of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Work ending Saturday, 12th October, 1918; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1917,

Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 12th October, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total,
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th October, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever		* *	37	42	50	11	17	2	42*
Diphtheria,		* * *	10	14	13	5	2	1	15
Pneumonia,		***	28 .	40	37	66	13	18	72

^{*} Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 21·4 and 17·2; Dublin Registration Area, 38·6 and 26·1; Dublin City. 35·7 and 26·3; Belfast 11·0 and 11·2; Cork, 8·8 and 13·1; Londonderry, 14·3 and 14·3; Limerick, 14·9 and 13·9; and Waterford, 13·3 and 14·3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. Among the 83 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from searlet fever, 2 from diphtheria, and 6 from diarrheal diseases. The 7 deaths from all causes for Lurgan include one from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 173-92 boys

and 81 girls —and the deaths to 332--162 males and 170 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 37) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 38.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-two weeks ending with Saturday, 19th October, the death-rate averaged 20.7 and was 0.1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-two weeks was 22.4 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.2

The 295 deaths appertaining to the Area include 4 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 8 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 101 from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal

In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough numbered 2, one and 0; deaths from diphtheria 0, 2, and one; deaths from diarrhoa and enteritis of children under 2 years, 6, 11, and 7; deaths from influenza 7, 10, and 29; and deaths from cerebro-spinal fever 0, one, and 0,

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (comprising 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 19, 24, and 22, respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by simple meningitis, 58 by pneumonia (comprising 8 by broncho-pneumenia, 14 by lobar pneumonia, and 36 by pneumonia, type not distinguished), 18 by organic diseases of the heart, and 25 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 8 to diarrhoea and

enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Sixty-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 37 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 42 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 35 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 295 deaths recorded, 102 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and distributal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th October, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 20·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 20·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 28.3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 38.4 and for Edinburgh 13.0.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 19th October. From this Report it appears that of 80 cases notified, 41 were scarlet fever, 19 diphtheria, 12 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 2 erysipelas, and one enteric fever. Among the 463 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 160 of scarlet fever, 143 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 58 of diphtheria, 15 of measles, 13 of enteric fever, 6 of erysipelas, 4 of whooping-cough, and 3 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 19th October, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

Cities and Urban Districts	Week ending	Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including 2 cases of varicella. (b) Not including one case of varicella

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 19th October, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 26; measles 3 and 3; scarlet fever 17 and 53*; and diphtheria 4 and 14. Ninety-seven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 132 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from enteric fever, 2 were from diphtheria, and 27 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at root of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 19th October, 1918, in the Dublin Registration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts, exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal. Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glaszow.

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(c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which (k) See noted have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Linearick are supplied by Mungret College.

(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phonix Park.

(e) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square.

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TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and Element Order the Occupations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 19th October, 1918; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABUE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. - Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous admitted from milliout the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 19th October, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Feven	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 19th October, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Measles,		4	5	2	3	2		: 3
Scarlet Fever		42	- 50	42	17	6	•	53*
Diphtheria,		14	13	15	4	3	2	14
Pneumonia,	• •	40	37	72	97	10	27	132

^{*} Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, $27 \cdot 8$ and $20 \cdot 5$; Dublin Registration Area, $47 \cdot 3$ and $32 \cdot 9$; Dublin City, $49 \cdot 2$ and $33 \cdot 3$; Belfast $13 \cdot 8$ and $12 \cdot 1$; Cork, $18 \cdot 4$ and $13 \cdot 6$; Londonderry, $32 \cdot 6$ and $19 \cdot 5$; Limerick,

23.0 and 15.6; and Waterford, 39.9 and 20.9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 104 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from whooping-cough, and 4 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 27 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from each of enteric fever, measles, and whooping-cough, and one diarrhea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Of the 21 deaths from all causes for Waterford 3 are from diarrheal diseases. One of the 6 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is from whooping-cough. The Jeaths from all causes for Lisburn include one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoa and enteritis of a child under 2 years; and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 174-84 boys

and 90 girls—and the deaths to 403—212 males and 191 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 41) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of $47 \cdot 3$ per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-three weeks ending 26th October, the death-rate averaged $21 \cdot 3$ and was $0 \cdot 6$ above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-three weeks was 23·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·1.

The 362 deaths appertaining to the Area include 2 from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough,

one from diphtheria. 3 from diarrhoa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from cerebro-

spinal fever.

There were 162 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 21·2 per 1.000 of the population, and of these 128 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 21·9 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 85 (or 27·4 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 43 (or 15·7 per 1,000) to South City Districts. Thirty-four deaths from influenza (or 18·9 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 10, 29, and 101, respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 69 (comprising 21 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from 'obar pneumonia, and 44 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 29, 25, and 58 in the three

Tuberculous disease caused 23 deaths (comprising 19 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 4 from other weeks preceding.

ferms of the disease) as against 24, 22, and 16 respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, one by simple meningitis. 11 by organic diseases of the heart, Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 3 to influenza, 4 to and 24 by bronchitis.

pneumonia, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility. Four deaths were due to violence, 2 (children under 5 years) being caused by burns and scalds,

Sixty-e ght of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of and one by drowning children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 43 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 362 deaths recorded, 118 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions. Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districte.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet iever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheeal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th October, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 34.5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 30.9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 29.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 34.3 and for Edinburgh 19.6.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 26th October. From this Report it appears that of 64 cases notified, 28 were scarlet fever, 16 diphtheria, 10 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 enteric fever, and one crysipelas. Among the 501 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 165 of scarlet fever, 145 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 66 of diphtheria, 14 of enteric fever, 9 of measles, 6 of whooping-cough, 3 of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of crysipelas.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 26th October; 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	We		Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 26th October, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 17; measles 2 and 4; scarlet fever 14 and 60*; and diphtheria 3 and 9. One hundred and seventeen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 171 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 37, 72 and 132 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from enteric fever, and 50 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 26th October, 1918, in the Dublin Registration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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middle of 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page.

(c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Merecological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted for Lingan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markere for Slige, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungert College.

(d) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Etizavillian Square.

(g) herudding one death from everbre-spring from public and fore for Dublin and one from now from from everbre-spring for Character. cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roches Point for Cork.

(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park.

(e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square.

(g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal fever for Dublin and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis for Glasgow.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 43rd Week of the 5 years, 1913-1917.	All Ages.	Under 1 month	l month and under l year		_				Deat							Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registra-
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Pleurisy Pulmonary Congestion.	• 2	.1	:			:	:				1 .						
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in the Forty-third Week, ending Saturday, 26th October 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years, 1913-17.

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TASTE IV.—Showing for the Week ended of October, 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registrates Dispasss. With the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Central Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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* See note (†) at foot of first page.

the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending ad the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Life, and the Number from some of in Jo were regi t each of Services TABLE V.-Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the Occupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths at the Number of the Deaths registered; by represented 26th October, 1918; the Annual Death-rate also the Number of Uncertified Deaths. Saturday, Death; als

Number of Uncer-tified Deaths. 29) G/3 03 03 03 -· 20 · 00 (28) Other Causes 4 53 80 00 00 21 E-41-00 00000 50 4 2 Violence. 13.27 23 Standara, 2 years of up and selection of the selection of teritis of child-ren under 2 years of age. 33 Diarrhea & En-Diseases of the Respiratory System. Tehto 2 10 26TH OCTOBER, aimomuan E F 357 10 6 15 15 - 5 e gestalle Convulsions. CAUSES OF DEATH Cancer 25 63 Forms. (50) Other SATURDAY, Pulmonary. . 00 Dysentery. (18)ENDING Whooping-cough. WEEK Scarlet Fever. Measles. DEATHS, 133 .xoq-llem2 12) Typhus. OF Enteric Fever. REGISTRATION 10) 75 and upwards. - 01 ಣ 65 and under 75. 00 ा 00 3275 10 -45 and under 65. -- 83 10 27,7 2 F 4 31 25 and under 45. 2 4 S 10 to 13 15 and under 25. . mon 9 - 21 51 rebnu bas 3 F → es €1 · • # 4 Under 5 years. ۰ 4 5- -- 00 £5 98 38 35 139 20 20 no 43 Deaths Total Number of Annual Death Kate por 1,000 of the Population in 1911. 20.5 46.5 59.8 1 67 12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081 11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772 25,199 33,249 Popula-tion in each Class and Group in 14,658 101,798 108,420 167,479 7,868 33,827 5,602 1,347 ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers,
Building and Furnishing Trades,
O Clothing Trades,
Todos Supply Trades,
Other Trades and Callings ranking
with Trades. MIDDLE CLASS
ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEFFERS, PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS, Working Engineers, Engravers, Prinpartments, Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Second Class Localities lerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Deand Property, not e 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Consus have been distributed pro rata among the several groups to which they most probably belonged). AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. Ser. Miscellaneous-including all House-DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE-OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION Business Managers, &c., Clerks and Commercial Assistants, Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c., Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, CLASS. WORKHOUSES. not included in above, GENERAL SERVICE CLASS otherwise described Persons of Rank a INMATES OF holders in OF Clerical, 15. 18 13 IV. II. 111. HHH

TAREE VI. Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. -- Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous transfer of the previous of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Indectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 26th October, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertein)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total,
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TABLE 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th October, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diphtheria,		***	13	15	14	3	8		. 9
Pneumonia,		• • •	37	72	132	117	28	50	171

^{*} Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 34·9 and 25·4; Dublin Registration Area, 65·5 and 44·0; Dublin City, 72·3 and 45·5; Belfast 17·5 and 14·1; Cork, 17·0 and 14·6; Londonderry, 40·4 and 24·4; Limerick,

17.6 and 16.3; and Waterford, 38.0 and 26.1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·4 per 1,000. Among the 132 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 2 from searlet fever, and one from diarrhæa and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 31 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from typhus; and whooping-cough caused one of the 2 deaths recorded for Portadown.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 126-58 boys

and 68 girls—and the deaths to 562—265 males and 297 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 61) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 65.5 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-four weeks ending 2nd November, the death-rate averaged 22·3 and was 1·6 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-four weeks was 24·3, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·0

Of the 501 deaths appertaining to the Area only 2 were from whooping-cough, and one from

diarrhœa and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

There were 250 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 32.7 per 1.000 of the population, and of these 210 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 35.9 per 1,000 of the population, and of these 210 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 35.9 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 124 (or 39.9 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 86 (or 31.3 per 1,000) to South City Districts. Forty deaths from influenza (or 22.2 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this course for the Presistantian Area pumpliced 20, 101, and 162, respectively. from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 29, 101, and 162 respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 89 (comprising 25 from broncho-pneumonia, 13 from lobar pneumonia, and 51 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 25, 58, and 69 in the three

Tuberculous disease caused 26 deaths (comprising 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from abdominal weeks preceding. tuberculosis, and 4 from other forms of the disease) as against 22, 16, and 23 respectively, in the three weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 31 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to convulsions, 6 to influenza, 8 to pneumonia, 7 to premature birth, and 9 to congenital debility.

Three deaths were due to violence, one being caused by burns, and one by drowning. Ninety-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 40 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 58 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 43 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 501 deaths recorded, 134 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet iever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal diseases

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd November, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 55.5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 4.30 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 30.5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 26.7 and for Edinburgh 35.4.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 2nd November. From this Report it appears that of 63 cases notified, 40 were scarlet fever, 8 diphtheria, 6 pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 erysipelas, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 590 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 179 of scarlet fever, 152 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 54 of diphtheria, 10 of enteric fever, 9 of measles, 8 of whooping-cough, 4 of cerebrospinal fever, and 3 of crysipelas.

Table 1.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstewn), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd November, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not

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('ASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 2nd November, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 3; measles 2 and 12; searlet fever 12 and 59*; and diphtheria 2 and 11. One hundred and twenty-four cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 218 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 72, 132 and 171 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 30 were from pneumonia.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week anding Saturday, 2nd November, 1918, in the Dublic Registration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Ugnan Districts (exclusive of Deaths from some of the Principal Aurober of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week: also statistics regarding Births. Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glazzow

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Table III.— Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups the Occopations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 2nd November, 1915; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. -Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the provious ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VII.—Showing by Breistrans' Districts, the Number of Birdhs and Deaths in the Cities (or Urban Districts) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 2nd November, 1918, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City to any amounted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain A3E Periods; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 2nd November, 1918.

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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undernentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd November, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Sinall-pox,	• •	• •	•				•	•	
Measles,	e-w	• •	2	3	4	. 2	1		. 2
Scarlet Fever	• •		42	53	60	12	13		59*
Diphtheria,	••	• •	15	14	9	2			11
l'neumonia, - · · ·	• •		72	132 -	171	124	47	20	218

^{*} Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 45·4 and 32·4; Dublin Registration Area, 60·0 and 52·8; Dublin City,

66·1 and 55·8; Belfast 34·0 and 19·1; Cork, 20·4 and 16·2; Londonderry, 31·3 and 29·6; Limerick.

28.4 and 21.0; and Waterford, 59.0 and 37.5. The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 256 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years. Two of the 8 deaths from all causes for Lurgan are from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one of the 36 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 198-109 boys

and 89 girls—and the deaths to 492—226 males and 266 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 33) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 60·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-five weeks, ending 9th November, the death-rate averaged 23·1 and was 2·5 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-five weeks was 25·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·0.

Of the 459 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria and 5 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

cough, 3 from diphtheria, and 5 from diarrheea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

There were 204 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 26.7 per 1.000 of the There were 204 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 26·7 per 1.000 of the population, and of these 172 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 29·4 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 63 (or 20·3 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 109 (or 39·7 per 1.000) to South City Districts. Thirty-two deaths from influenza (or 17·8 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 101, 162, and 250 respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 88 (comprising 28 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia, and 56 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 58, 69, and 89 in the three weeks preceding

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (all from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 16, 23, and 26 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 41 by bronchitis. in the three weeks preceding. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 4 to influenza, 5 to pneumonia, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Five deaths were due to violence, 3 being caused by burns, one of the latter being that of a

Ninety-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of child 11 years of age. children under 5 years of age, 32 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old. and 63 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 41 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 459 deaths recorded, 132 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet iever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and distributed diseases.

SCOTLAND,

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 27.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19.2 and for Edinburgh 46.2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 9th November. From this Report it appears that of 48 cases notified, 16 were scarlet fever, 16 diphtheria, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 other forms of tuberculosis, and 3 crysipelas. Among the 585 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 162 of scarlet fever, 150 of influenza, 143 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 64 of diphtheria, 13 of whooping-cough, 9 of enteric fever, 4 of measles, 4 of crysipelas, and 4 of cerebrospinal fever.

Table 1.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th November, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 9th November, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 11; measles nil and one; scarlet fever 8 and 61*; and diphtheria 6 and 13. Eighty-six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 212 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 132, 171 and 218 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from scarlet fever, 3 were from diphtheria, and 37 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 9th November, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-mentioned 18 UBBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Principal Parkets), the Namber of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) The publication of these observations is discontinued for the present. (d) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningities.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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ALL CAUSES.	164.6	492	9	24	27	34	17	14	30	45	109	41	37	40	41	24	459
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Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy. Softening of Brain Paralysia, without specified cause. Epilepsy. Convulsions (non-puer- peral).	5·0 ·4 2·8 1·4 4·4	5 5	1	1 2		:					1			5 1	3		7 5 2 5
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in the Forty-fifth Week, ending Saturday, 9th November, 1918, with the average deaths from each the Five Years, 1913-17.

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TABE IV.—Showing for the Week Ender Offin November, 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registeres Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Boldomic District from Soure of the principal causes; also the Deaths at Population of the respective Districts from the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE VI. - Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City. -- Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the provious ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 9th November, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertein)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th November, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Diphtheria,	*14	9	" n ,	6	1	3	13
Pneumonia,	132	171	218	86	5 5	37	212

^{*} Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—
Nineteen Town Districts, 50·3 and 39·6; Dublin Registration Area, 45·6 and 54·6; Dublin City,
47·5 and 58·8; Belfast 54·7 and 30·0; Cork, 29·2 and 21·3; Londonderry, 33·9 and 34·5; Limerick,

75.8 and 36.2; and Waterford, 60.8 and 49.4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 412 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 43 deaths from all causes for Cork i from whooping cough. Of the 26 deaths from all causes for Londonderry, 2 are from typhus. One of the 6 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is from diphtheria, and of the 22 deaths from all causes for Clonnel, one is from typhus.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 243-112 boys

and 131 girls—and the deaths to 375—178 males and 197 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 26) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 45.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-six weeks, ending 16th November, the death-rate averaged 23.6 and was 3.0 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-six weeks was 25.7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.0.

Of the 349 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from enteric fever, one from measles, from scarlet fever. 2 from diphtheria, and 4 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

There were 141 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 18.4 per 1,000 of the population, and of these 108 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 18.5 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 64 (or 20.6 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 44 (or 16.0 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 44 (or 16.0 per 1,000). 1.000) to South City Districts. Thirty-three deaths from influenza (or 18.3 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Atea numbered 162, 250, and 204 respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 59 (comprising 17 from broncho-pneumonia, 5 from lobar pneumonia, and 37 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 69, 89, and 88 in the three preceding

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (comprising 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 23, 26, and 18 in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 19 by organic diseases of the heart, and 24 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 3 to influenza, 7 to pneumonia, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility. Three deaths were due to violence, one being caused by burns (a child aged 3 years 8 months),

and one by suffocation in bed.

Seventy-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 36 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 53 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 34 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 349 deaths recorded, 121 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th November, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was $44\cdot0$ was equal to an average annual death rate of $38\cdot7$ per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 23.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 18.9 and for Edinburgh 36.6.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 16th November. From this Report it appears that of 51 cases notified, 20 were diphtheria, 12 scarlet fever, 12 pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 other forms of tuberculosis, and 3 crysipelas. Among the 514 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 141 of scarlet fever, 139 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 93 of influenza, 78 of diphtheria, 11 of whooping-cough, 8 of enteric fever, 5 of crysipelas, 4 of cerebro-spinal fever and 3 of measles.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th November, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 16th November, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 12; measles one and one; scarlet fever 10 and 59*; and diphtheria 6 and 16. Thirty-four cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 166 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 171, 218 and 212 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from enteric fever, 2 were from scarlet fever, 2 from diphtheria, and 15 from pneumonia.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 16th November, 1918, in the Dublin Registeration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Ubbra Districts, the Number of Doaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groupeations of Sooian Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 16th November, 1918; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Gausses of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 16th November, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.— The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 16th November, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 48·7 and 44·8; Dublin Registration Area, 31·9 and 50·7; Dublin City, 34·0 and 55·0; Belfast 65·0 and 42·8; Cork, 34·7 and 25·3; Londonderry, 46·9 and 38·1; Limerick.

88.0 and 52.4; and Waterford, 47.5 and 51.3.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 490 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from diarrhæa and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 51 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from typhus, one from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhæa. Of the 65 deaths from all causes for Limerick, 2 are from enteric fever. One of the 25 deaths from all causes for Waterford is from measles. Included in the 12 deaths from all causes for Galway is one from measles. One of 8 deaths from all causes for Lurgan is from whooping-cough. Two of the 17 deaths from all causes for Portadown were caused by whooping-cough, and among the 7 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is one from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 195—103 boys

and 92 girls—and the deaths to 270—140 males and 130 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 26) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 31·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-seven weeks, ending 23rd November, the death-rate averaged 23·8 and was 3·2 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-seven weeks was 25·9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·0.

Of the 244 deaths appertaining to the Area 2 were from diarrheeal diseases.

There were 67 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 8·8 per 1.000 of the population, and of these 53 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 9·1 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 33 (or 10·6 per 1.000) assigned to North City Districts and 20 (or 7·3 per 1.000) to South City Districts. Fourteen deaths from influenza (or 7·8 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 250, 204 and 141, respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 27 (comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 15 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 89, 88, and 59 in the three represent an annual rate of mortality of 31.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-seven weeks,

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weeks preceding.

Tuberculous disease caused 26 deaths (comprising 24 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis) as against 26, 18, and 20 in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 30 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 2 to influenza, 4 to pneumonia, 7 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility

Two deaths were due to violence, one being caused by drowning.

Fifty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 33 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 45 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 33 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 244 deaths recorded, 89 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districte.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet lever, whooping cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoad diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd November, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 36.8 was equal to an average annual death rate of 36.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 24·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 23.5 and for Edinburgh 32.5.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 23rd November. From this Report it appears that of 41 cases notified, 17 were scarlet lever, 12 diphtheria, 7 pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 other forms of tuberculosis, and one erysipelas. Among the 497 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 139 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 132 of scarlet fever, 89 of influenza. 82 of diphtheria, 13 of whooping-cough, 7 of measles, 6 of enteric fever, 5 of erysipelas, and 2 of cerebrospinal fever.

Table 1.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd November, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small·pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 23rd November, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 11; scarlet fever 12 and 64*; and diphtheria 2 and 17. Fifty-nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 153 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 218, 212 and 166 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 12 were from pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday. 23rd November, 1918, in the Dublin Registration and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Properties of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Reinfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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Table III.— Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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Table IV.—Showing for the Week ended 23rd November, 1918, the number of Deaths of the several Registrates in the Dublin Registration Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Biggreen Groups the Ucoupations of Social Position of the Persons whose Deathes were registered to Registered the Number of Deathes at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 23rd November, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cercbro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd November, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever	59	61	59	12	. 7		64*
Diphtheria,	11	13	16	2	1	•	. 17
Pneumonia,	218	212	166	59	69	12	153

^{*} Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 42·6 and 46·7; Dublin Registration Area, 26·0 and 40·9; Dublin City, 28·2 and 43·9; Belfast 61·4 and 53·8; Cork, 29·2 and 28·4; Londonderry, 31·3 and 35·9; Limerick,

59.6 and 62.9; and Waterford, 34.2 and 50.4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.4 per 1,000. Of the 43 deaths from all causes for Cork 2 are from diphtheria. One of the 19 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is from searlet fever, and included in the 15 deaths from all causes for Portadown is one from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 177-83 boys

and 94 girls—and the deaths to 213—109 males and 104 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 26·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-eight weeks, ending 30th November, the death-rate averaged 23·9 and was 3·3 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-eight weeks was 25.9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.0.

Of the 199 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria,

and one from diarrhea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

There were 49 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 6·4 per 1,000 of the population, and of these 43 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 7·3 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 26 (or 8·5 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 17 (or 6·1 per 1,000) to South City Districts. Six deaths from influenza (or 3·3 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 204, 141, and 67, respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 31 (comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 21 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 88, 59, and 27 in the three

weeks preceding.

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (comprising 12 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis) as against 18, 20, and 26 in the three

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 23 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 3 to influenza, 3 to pneumonia, one to congenital malformation, 4 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility

There was one case of suicide.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 42 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 199 deaths recorded, 70 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, smell-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheeal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 30th November, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 32.8 was equal to an average annual death rate of 36.5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 23.7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 21.8 and for Edinburgh 32.2.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended C0th November. From this Report it appears that of 52 cases notified, 19 were scarlet fever, 13 pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 11 diphtheria, 2 crysipelas and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 477 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 139 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 124 of scarlet fever, 85 of influenza, 71 of diphtheria, 12 of whooping-cough, 7 of measles, 7 of crysipelas, 4 of enteric fever, and 2 of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 30th November, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Wed		Small-pox	Measles.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber.	Total.
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CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 30th November, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever one and 9; searlet fever 13 and 63*; and diphtheria one and 15. Thirty-seven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 123 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 212, 166 and 153 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 17 were from pneumonia.

^{*} See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

(34)Rainfall in Inches of Deaths in . . . 55 Temperature and Rainfall for the week $32 \cdot 846 \cdot 039 \cdot 442 \cdot 71 \cdot 11$ 0 9.810 30TH NOVEMBER, 1918. Mean of (A) and (B). 35 51-4.40-3,45.8 METEOROLOGY. WEEK ENDING (32) 37.450.742.0 Mean Minimum (B). Air Temperature. 26.249.737. 33.050.638 (31) .(a) mumixaM naəM 30) Absolute Lowest 52.50 d) 53.2 50.0 (29)Absolute Highest. 55. Deaths. (28)0 Uncertified Number URBAN 11 Vo. of Dear Institutions 55 20 6.2 ¢1 9 20 20 Deaths in Public 1 1 (56) Saturday, 30th November, 1918, in the Dublin Registration area and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Number of Deaths from some of the Paingiral, Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Inquest Cases. 07 11 (25)Violence. 40 Diarrhæs, 2 years of age and upwards (24)Diarrhæa and of children years to szee, (23)Enteritis under 2 9 Respira-Other. 213 25 50 of the tory 253 Pneumonia (21) 997 31 27 (20)Cancer. 21 (13) Other Forms. 1 1 19 2 -WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, Caused by 18 Fulmonary. 62 NUMBERS REGISTERED 44 21 DEATHS Dysentery. (11) 111 (91) Diphtheria. (15) Whooping-cough. 01 (14) Scarlet Fever. (13) Measles. REGISTRATION (12)Small-pox. (11) Typhus. also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glaszow. (10) Enteric Fever. 678 57 (6) 14.5 42 At 65 years and upwards. 2 7 20 2 24 53 Onder I year of Age. (8) 2,735 661 921 (7) TOTAL NUMBER 146 114 177 II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the TOTAL NUMBER 0.4 1.3 1.0 Diseases. (b) Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by (2) DEATHS. From certain Epidemic 22 22 QJ QJ 27 www XX 21 XX 61.4 29.2 31.3 59.6 34.2 128.19 26.6 12.5 45.6 (4) From all Causes. 26. 23.1 58.5 25.0 20.2 BIRTHS. TABLE IL. -BIRTHS and DEATHS registered 286.3 288.6 115.5 19.1 19.1 14.7 8.4 15.3 18.6 8.2 11.3 22.9 19.7 28.5 to an SONS Acre. Per-POPULATION 333,200 11,163 10,514 10,300 10,209 1,127,268 399,000 (a) Potal and CITY OF DUBLIN DUBLIN REGISTRATION LONDONDERRY TOTAL OF 19 TOWN KINGSTOWN, RATHMINES PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, BALLYMENA, SLIGO, ... KILKENNY, TRALEE, ... RATHGAR WATERFORD, PORTADOWY DISTRICTS DROGHEDA, WENFORD, GALWAY, .. NEWRY, . CLONMEL, LIMERICK, AND EDINBURGH. GLASGOW, LONDON, AREA, Urban Districts. (rban Districts.

, the population given is that estimated to the 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. been adopted first foot of (b) See note (t) at (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Pitzwilliam Square. (f) Observati the Cities of Beliast and Lendonderry, ors and the Cities of Beliast and Lendonderry, for London relates to the civil population in Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest Area and its component parts The estimate shown Registration estimate in the middle of Phoenix in the cases of the Dublin to the Census of 1911. but in the cases that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the J()

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Table VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 30th November, 1918.

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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th November, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever	* *	• • -	61	59	64	13	14		63*
Diphtheria,			13	16	17	1	3		15
Pneumonia,	• •	• •	212	166	153	37	5 0 ,	17	123

^{*} Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:

Nineteen Town Districts, 33·0 and 43·6; Dublin Registration Area, 22·5 and 31·5; Dublin City, 23·2 and 33·2; Belfast 41·7 and 55·7; Cork, 25·8 and 29·7; Londonderry, 35·2 and 36·8; Limerick,

35.2 and 64.6; and Waterford, 20.9 and 40.9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 314 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from scarlet fever and 3 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 38 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from diphtheria. One of the 4 deaths from all causes for Drogheda is from whooping-cough. Included in the 7 deaths from all causes for Newry is one from enteric fever, and of the 21 deaths from all causes for Portadown 2 are from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 179-89 boys

and 90 girls-and the deaths to 190-97 males and 93 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22.5 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-nine weeks, ending 7th December, the death-rate averaged 23.8 and was 3.2 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-nine weeks was 25.9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.0

Of the 172 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from diphtheria, and 5 from diarrhoa and

enteritis of children under 2 years.

There were 42 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 5.5 per 1.000 of the There were 42 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 5.5 per 1.000 of the population, and of these 32 belonged to the City, affording a rate of 5.5 per 1,000 of the population, the latter including 18 (or 5.9 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 14 (or 5.0 per 1,000) to South City Districts. Ten deaths from influenza (or 5.6 per 1,000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 141, 67, and 49, respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 24 (comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 12 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 59, 27, and 31 in the three preceding weeks ding

weeks preceding.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (comprising 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3

from other forms of tuberculosis) as against 20, 26, and 18 in the three weeks pre eding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 17 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, 2 to pneumonia, 5 to diarrhea and enter tis, 2 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

There was one violent death.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 172 deaths recorded, 58 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet iever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhœal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 7th December, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 26.0 was equal to an average annual death rate of 28.6 per 1.000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19.8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17.6 and for Edinburgh 20.5.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 7th December. From this Report it appears that of 61 cases notified, 19 were diphtheria, 18 scarlet fever, 13 pulmonary tuberculosis, 10 other forms of tuberculosis, and one crysipelas. Among the 470 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 149 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 125 of scarlet fever, 74 of diphtheria, 64 of influenza, 16 of whooping-cough, 7 of measles, 4 of crysipelas, 3 of enteric fever, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstewn), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 7th December, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 7th December, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 7; measles one and one; scarlet fever 6 and 53*; and diphtheria 3 and 16. Twenty-nine cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 112 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 166, 153 and 123 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 8 were from pneumonia.

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Table II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 7th December, 1918, in the Destin Argestration area and in each of the under mentions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week, also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow:

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimate to the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those of Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Limerick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phaaix Park. (e) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the Webr by The December, 1918, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrarys' Districts in the Dobling for the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Doubles from the principal Epidemic Diseases*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five General Classes and Etgereen Groups the Occupations of the Persons whose Deathes registered in The Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 7th December, 1918; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Balfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areae.)

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 7th December, 1918.

Districts	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertsin)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 7th December, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Scarlet Fever	•• ••	59	64	63	6	16	•	53*
Diphtheria,	••	16	17	15	3	2	•	16
Pneumonia,	••	166	153	123	29	32	8	112

^{*} Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four

weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—
Nineteen Town Districts, 24·0 and 37·1; Dublin Registration Area. 22·0 and 25·6; Dublin City,
23·9 and 27·3; Belfast 24·7 and 48·2; Cork, 23·1 and 28·2; Londonderry, 35·2 and 37·2; Limerick,

25.7 and 52.1; and Waterford, 17.1 and 29.9.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000. Among the 186 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhan and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one from cerebro-spinal fever. Of the 34 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from diphtheria and one is from diarrhα and enteritis of a chiid under 2 years. Included in the 27 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are one from typhus and one from searlet fever. One of the 9 deaths from all causes for Waterford is from measles, and of the 9 deaths from all causes for Ballymena one is from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 165-85 boys

and 80 girls—and the deaths to 178—86 males and 92 females. The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty weeks, represent an annual rate of mortality of 23·8 and was 3·2 above the mean rate for the corresending 14th December, the death-rate averaged 23·8 and was 3·2 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty weeks was 25.8, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.0.

Of the 168 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from searlet fever, one from wheoping-cough,

There were 24 deaths from influenza, being equivalent to an annual rate of 3·1 per 1,000 of the population, and of these 17 belenged to the City, affording a rate of 2·9 per 1,000 of the population, tion, the latter including 12 (or 3.9 per 1,000) assigned to North City Districts and 5 (or 1.8 per 1,000) to Courth City Districts. 1.000) to South City Districts. Seven deaths from influenza (or 3.9 per 1.000 of the population) were referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 67, 49, and 42, respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 20 (comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 27, 31, and 24 in the three

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (comprising 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis) as against 26, 18, and 19 in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 19 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to convulsions, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoa and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital

There were 8 violent deaths, 4 being caused by burns or scalds, one by drowning, and one (that debility.

Fifty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of of an infant) by suffocation in bed. children under 5 years of age, 32 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 38 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 30 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 168 deaths recorded, 64 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts

will be found in Tables III. and IV. * Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts. † Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoal

diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 14th December, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was $18\cdot2$ was equal to an average annual death rate of $20\cdot2$ per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.1 and for Edinburgh 16.1.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 14th December. From this Report it appears that of 55 cases notified, 17 were diphtheria, 14 scarlet iever, 10 pulmonary tuberculosis, 9 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 erysipelas and one puerperal fever. Among the 435 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 151 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 111 of scarlet fever, 73 of diphtheria, 32 of influenza. 19 of whooping-cough, 9 of measles, 4 of erysipelas, 2 of enteric fever, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 14th December, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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(a) Including 3 cases of septic pneumonia.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 14th December, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 9; measles one and one; scarlet fever 12 and 55*; and diphtheria 2 and 12. Twenty-eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 115 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 153, 123 and 112 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from scarlet fever, and one from pneumonia.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 14th December, 1918, in the DIBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of theunder-mentioned 18 UBBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow.

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(c) 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (t) at foot of first page.

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(d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens. Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal fever.

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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 14th December, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)—Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Total.
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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 14th December, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN:

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 20·4 and 30·0; Dublin Registration Area, 18·9 and 22·4; Dublin City, 20·7 and 24·0; Belfast, 19·2 and 36·7; Cork, 17·7 and 24·0; Londonderry, 23·5 and 31·3; Limerick, 27·1 and 36·9; and Waterford, 13·3 and 21·4.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week

were equal to an annual rate of 0.6 per 1,000. Among the 145 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria and 3 from diarrheal diseases. Of the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from typhus and one from diphtheria. Included in the 18 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are 2 from typhus and one from whooping-cough. One of the 6 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from whooping-cough, and of the 12 deaths from all causes for Sligo one is also from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 150-75 boys

and 75 girls—and the deaths to 153—64 males and 94 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18.9 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-one weeks, ending 21st December, the death-rate averaged 23.7 and was 3.1 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908–17. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-one weeks was 25.7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.0. Of the 145 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from measles and 2 were from diarrhoa

and enteritis of children under 2 years.

There were 14 deaths from influenza, and of these 13 belonged to the City, the latter including 7 There were 14 deaths from influenza, and of these 13 belonged to the City, the latter including 7 assigned to North City districts and 6 to South City districts. One death from influenza was referred to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 49, 42, and 24, respectively.

Deaths attributed to pneumonia were 18 (comprising 13 from broncho-pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 31, 24, and 20 in the three weeks preceding.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (comprising 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis) as against 18, 19, and 22 in the three weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 13 by bronchitis.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 13 by bronchitis. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 2 to diarrhea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

There were 2 violent deaths

Forty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 33 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 145 deaths recorded, 64 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrheal

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The nortality among civilians for the week ended 14th December, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 18.2 was equal to an average annual death rate of 20.2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16.4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 15.1 and for Edinburgh 16.1.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 21st December. From this Report it appears that of 63 cases notified, 23 were scarlet fever, 19 diphtheria, 16 pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 other forms of tuberculosis, and 3 erysipelas. Among the 428 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 152 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 112 of scarlet fever, 73 of diphtheria, 22 of influenza, 20 of whooping-cough, 17 of measles, 3 of erysipelas, one of enteric fever, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin. and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 21st December, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

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⁽a) Including 3 cases of septic pneumonia.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Under Treatment in Dublin Hospitals.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 21st December, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 2 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 10; measles 3 and 4; scarlet fever 15 and 59*; and diphtheria one and 4. Twelve cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 95 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 123, 112 and 115 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria, and 2 were from pneumonia.

⁽b) Including 12 cases of septic pneumonia.

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middle of 1917, and that for Glasgow and Edinburgh is the estimate in the middle of 1918. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1917. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page.

(c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns izelanded in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lingan. Lisburn, Newry, and Portadown, those of Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. The readings for Linearick are supplied by Mungret College. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phonix Park. (e) Observations by Sir Forderick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) The figures for London, Edinburgh and Glasgow relate to the week ending 14th instant.

Table III.—Dublin Registration Area.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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ALL CAUSES.	171.8	158	11	23	4	9	3	2	9	7	12	12	15	16	21	14	145
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Table VIII.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 21st December, 1918.

Districts.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Pyrexia (origin uncertain)— Continued Fever.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Table 1X.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 21st December, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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Small-pox,				•	•	•	•	•	•
Measles,				1	1	3	•	•	4
Scarlet Fever			63	53	55	15	11	٠	59*
Diphtheria,	à 'e		15	16	12	1.	8	1	4
Pneumonia,	••		123	112	115	12	30	2	95

^{*} Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

WEEKLY RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS

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NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,127,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Weeks, respectively, were equal to the following aimula lates per 1,000 or the population.

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·9 and 24·1; Dublin Registration Area. 20·4 and 21·0; Dublin City,
21·7 and 22·4; Belfast, 19·4 and 26·2; Cork, 18·4 and 21·3; Londonderry, 9·1 and 25·7; Limerick,
17·6 and 26·4; and Waterford, 20·9 and 18·1.

The deaths* from certain epidemic diseases† registered in the 19 town districts during last week

were equal to an annual rate of 0.4 per 1,000. Among the 146 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrha a and enteritis of children under 2 years; and included in the 8 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is one from scarlet fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 105-53 boys

and 52 girls—and the deaths to 162-82 males and 80 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) referred to localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-two weeks, ending 28th December, the death-rate averaged 23·6 and was 3·0 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-two ponding portions of the ten years, 1908-17. weeks was 25.6, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22.0.

Of the 156 deaths appertaining to the Area one was from measles and 4 were from diarrinea

and enteritis of children under 2 years.

There were 9 deaths from influenza, and of these 4 belonged to the City, the latter including one assigned to North City districts and 3 to South City districts. Five deaths from influenza were assigned to the urban districts (see Table IV., col. 29). In the three preceding weeks deaths from this cause for the Registration Area numbered 42, 24, and 14, respectively.

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pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia, type not distinguished), as against 24, 20, and 18 in the three

weeks preceding.

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (comprising 17 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 19, 22, and 13 in the three

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis. weeks preceding. Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to convulsions, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital There were 7 violent deaths, 4 having been caused by burns, 3 of the latter being those of debility

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age. children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over. Of the 156 deaths recorded, 62 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions

Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.
† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet iever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoral diseases

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st December, in 96 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 16.0 was equal to an average annual death rate of 16.8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14.8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate

for Glasgow being 14.0 and for Edinburgh 12.7.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.SC., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 28th December. From this Report it appears that of 47 cases notified, 17 were scarlet fever, 16 diphtheria, 8 pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 other forms of tuberculosis, and 4 erysipelas. Among the 424 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 153 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 108 of scarlet fever, 72 of diphtheria, 23 of whooping-cough, 15 of influenza, 13 of measles, 6 of erysipelas, and one of enteric

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of Infectious Diseases notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 28th December, 1918, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (-) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS	Week ending	Small-pox.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Scarlet Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup	Pyrexia (origin un- certain)—Continued Fever	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Varicella.	Whooping-cough.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Poliomyelitis.	Pulmonary Tuber- culosis.	Total.
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(a) Including 3 cases of septic pneumonia.
(b) Including 12 cases of septic pneumonia.
(c) Including 2 cases of septic pneumonia.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 28th December, 1918, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:- Enteric fever one and 11; measles nil and 3; scarlet fever 7 and 52*; and diphtheria one and 4. 52*; and diphtheria one and 4. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 78 remained under treatment at its close, as compared with 112, 115 and 25 at the close of the three preceding weeks. Of the deaths in hospital during the week 5 were from pneumonia.

* See note (*) at foot of Table IX.

II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 28th December, 1918, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the Principal Causes, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh and Glasgow. TABLE II.

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TABLE III. - DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA. - Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause registered cause in the corresponding week of

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TABLE V.—Showing in Five Generals. Classes and Eighteen Groups the Occupations of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 28th December, 1918; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from unknot the respective areae.)

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Table IX.—The Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 28th December, 1918, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

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^{*} Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin, and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 28th December, 1918, 2,2.9 births—1,113 boys and 1,116 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 22·3 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 1,831, equivalent to an annual rate of $24 \cdot 0$ in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 338, equal to an annual rate of $17 \cdot 0$ in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of 15.8 per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth-rate was 20.2 per 1,000, and in Edinburgh 16.3 per 1,000.

Deaths.—Omitting the deaths (313) referred to localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 3,401, were equivalent to an annual rate of 34·1 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 19·2. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 3,714—1807 males and 1,907 females—: fforcing an annual ratio of 37·2 in every 1,000 of the estimated 3,714—1807 males and 1,907 females—: forcing an annual ratio of 37·2 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 20·7 per 1,000 for the fourth quarter of the ten years, 1908-1917.

The number of deaths of inhabitants* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 1 498, representing an annual mortality of 37.0 in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 1.258, equivalent to a rate of 35.2 per 1.000. For the urban districts the Nouth City districts was 1.258, equivalent to a rate of 35.2 per 1.000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was (45, being equal to an annual death-rate of 2..5 in every 1,000.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 29.2 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 23.6 per 1,000 of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 23.4 per 1,000.

^{*} The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

CAUSES OF DEATH IN DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

The number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* registered in the Dublin Registration Area during last quarter was 105, being equal to an annual rate of 1 05 per 1,000 of the population.

ENTERIC FEVER.—Nine deaths from enteric fever were registered during the quarter, as compared with an average of 16 in the fourth quarter of the five years, 1913-17, and with 8, 6 and 6, respectively, in the first three quarters of 1918.

The cases of the disease under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter under review numbered 47, and of these 30 were discharged, 6 died, and 11 remained under treatment at the close of the quarter.

TYPHUS.—There was no mortality from this cause.

SMALL-POX.—No case of this disease was notified.

Measles.—Only 3 deaths from measles occurred, as against an average of 27 for the corresponding quarter of the preceding five years.

In the first three quarters of 1918 deaths from this cause were 38, 49 and 8, respectively.

The 3 deaths appertained to North City No. 3 district.

SCARLET FEVER.—The deaths from scarlet fever during the quarter numbered 7, being 2 under the average for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1913-17. Five of the 7 deaths appertained to South City districts.

The cases under treatment in hospitals numbered 193, and of these 134 were discharged, 7 died, and 52† remained under treatment at the end of the quarter.

Whooping-cough.—This disease caused 11 deaths, as against 60, 91 and 33 in the three preceding quarters, and an average of 12 for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1913-17.

Diphtheria — Fourteen deaths from diphtheria were registered, being 3 under the average (17) for the corresponding quarter of the five years preceding. The numbers recorded in the first three quarters of 1918 were 11, 8 and 5, respectively.

Fifty-four cases were treated in Dublin hospitals during the quarter and were disposed of as follows:—41 were discharged, 9 died, and 4 were under treatment at the close of the quarter.

Diarrheal Diseases.—In this group are included the deaths of 55 children under 2 years of age registered as from diarrhea and enteritis, this number being only half the average (110) for the fourth quarter of the preceding five years.

INFLUENZA.—The principal feature of this report is the very high mortality from influenza, which, with pneumonia in its various forms, accounted for no less than 1,814 deaths in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter (13 weeks) ended 28th December, 1918, affording an annual rate of 18.2 per 1,000 of the estimated population.

The deaths registered as from influenza amounted to 1,210, being equal to an annual rate of 12.1 per 1,000 of the population, the average number of deaths from this cause for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1913-17, being 13.

Deaths from pneumonia, which was so closely associated with influenza in the recent epidemic, numbered 604 and represent an annual rate of 6.1 per 1,000 of the population. The 604 deaths are 455 above the average (149) for the corresponding quarter of the five years preceding.

During each week of the period from the week ended 5th October to that ending on 28th December the deaths returned as from influenza and pneumonia were as follows:—41, 58, 171, 246, 383, 318, 213, 114, 84, 70, 48, 34, and 34, averaging 140 deaths per week, while during the corresponding period of the five years, 1913-17, the weekly average number of deaths in the Dublin Registration Area assigned to these diseases was only 12.

Of the 1,814 deaths from these causes registered, 330, or 18.2 per cent., were those of children under 5 years of age; 171, or 9.4 per cent., were aged 5 and under 15; 339, or 18.7 per cent., were deaths of persons between 15 and 25 years of age; 445, or 24.5 per cent., were between 25 and 35 years: 235, or 13.0 per cent., between 35 and 45; 140, or 7.7 per cent. between 45 and 55; and 154, or 8.5 per cent., were deaths of persons 55 years of age and upwards.

The deaths from influenza and pneumonia (exclusive of those occurring in institutions of persons admitted from without the Registration Area) numbered 1,664, representing an annual rate of 16.7 per 1.000 of the estimated population; the deaths of residents of the City of Dublin from these causes amounted to 1.327, affording an annual rate of 17.4 per 1,000; and for the urban districts, the number of such deaths was 337, or 14.3 per 1,000 of the estimated population.

Taking the districts comprising the Registration Area it is found that the rates varied from 27.8 per 1,000 for North City No. 1 East, 21.1 per 1,000 for North City No. 1 West, 21.1 for Kingstown

urban district, and 21.0 for New Kilmainham, to 9.0 for Blackrock urban district, 9.5 for Finglas and Glasnevin, part of, 13.0 for Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, and 13.7 for North City No. 3.

CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.—There were 3 fatal cases of this disease as compared with one, one, and 3, respectively, in the three preceding quarters.

Tuberculosis.—Of the deaths under this heading, numbering 293 (the average for the fourth quarter of the five years preceding being 304), 234 were from julmonary tuberculosis, 10 from tuberculosis meningitis, 17 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 32 from other forms of the disease. The total represents an annual rate of 2.94 per 1,000 of the population.

The annual rate per 1,000 of the population represented by deaths from tuberculosis appertaining to the city was 3.13 per 1,000 (North City districts 3.09 and South City districts 3.19), and for the urban districts the annual rate was 1.28 per 1,000 of the estimated population of these areas.

CANCER.—To cancer 130 deaths were attributed, this number affording an annual rate of 1.30 per 1,000 of the population.

PNEUMONIA.—The 604 deaths from pneumonia include 178 from broncho-pneumonia, 79 from lobar pneumonia, and 347 from pneumonia (type not distinguished) and are, as before stated, considerably above the average (149) for the corresponding period of the five years preceding. (See also remarks on Influenza).

DISEASES OF THE BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM.—There were 209 deaths under this title, being equal to an annual rate of 2.10 per 1,000 of the population. These 209 deaths are 12 above the average (197) for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1913-17, and include 42 deaths from convulsions, all being those of children under 5 years of age.

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.—To these causes 200 deaths (annual rate 2.01 per 1,000) were attributed, as against an average of 211 for the corresponding period of the five years preceding.

Bronchitis.—Deaths from bronchitis numbered 283, or 2 84 per 1,000 of the population, being 45 above the average (238) for the fourth quarter of the five years, 1913-17.

Congenital Conditions —Fourteen deaths were assigned to congenital malformations, 57 to premature birth, and 69 to congenital debility.

VIOLENCE.—Under this heading 102 deaths were returned, including 55 by drowning, 17 by burns or scalds (8 of the latter being deaths of children under 5 years of age), 3 (infants) by suffocation in bed, and 4 deaths of soldiers caused by gunshot wounds.

Three cases of suicide were recorded.

Table I.—Showing the Number of Cases of the undermentioned Diseases treated in Dublin Hospitals during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 28th December, 1918.

Diseases.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER	20 • 4 42 14 40	27 16 151 40 714	30	6	11

^{*} Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the convalescent home of Cork-street Fever Hospital.

In 111 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 111 cases, 23 (or 20.7 per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 143 infants under one month old registered, there were '4 (or 9.8 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table III., page 520f, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases† in the Dublin Registration Area was 1·0 per 1,000, that in the City it was 1·1, and in the urban districts 0·7, the rates for the several districts varying from 0·4 in each of Finglas and Glasnevin, part of, and Pembroke urban district to 1·6 in North City, No. 1, West, the 436 deaths from all causes for that district including one from scarlet fever, 4 from whooping-cough, and 11 from diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

OCCUPATIONS.—From Table IV., page 520g, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of 31.9 per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was 26.7 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 29.9; and in the "General Service Class" it was 38.5.

520d Quarterly Summary of Births and Deaths in the Dublin Registration Area, &c.

AGES.—Of the 3,714 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 767 were under 5 years of age, including 397 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 178 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of $75 \cdot 0$ in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of $13 \cdot 9$ per 1,000 persons at that age-period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of $22 \cdot 7$ per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of $30 \cdot 6$ per 1,000 of the population at that age-period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was $32 \cdot 2$; for those between 45 and 65 it was $45 \cdot 4$; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was $79 \cdot 9$; and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death rate was $169 \cdot 5$ per 1,000. The deaths of 17 persons aged 90 years and upwards were registered, including that of a man whose age was that d to be 101 years.

Public Institutions.—Of the 3,714 deaths recorded during the quarter, 1,450, or 39·0 per cent., occurred in public institutions, viz., 957 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums; 478 in the Dublin Union Workhouse; and 15 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

Weather.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deducted from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phonix Park, was 45.1°. At Glasgow it was 45.9°; and at Edinburgh, 43.9°.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured 8.03 inches; at Glasgow, 12.92 inches; and at Edinburgh, 5.28 inches.

NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table II., the annual death-rate represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was $30 \cdot 7$ per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Cork, $20 \cdot 7$; Drogheda, $21 \cdot 4$; Sligo, $21 \cdot 5$; Tralee, $23 \cdot 3$; Lurgan, $24 \cdot 2$; Lisburn, $24 \cdot 2$; Ballymena, $24 \cdot 6$; Galway, $25 \cdot 6$; Londonderry, $28 \cdot 0$; Belfast, $29 \cdot 6$; Dundalk, $30 \cdot 2$; Waterford, $30 \cdot 3$; Limerick, $33 \cdot 5$; Portadown, $33 \cdot 8$; Dublin Registration Area, $34 \cdot 1$; Clonmel, $34 \cdot 9$; Wexford, $39 \cdot 9$; Kilkenny, $41 \cdot 1$; and Newry, $46 \cdot 5$

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases* in the 19 districts is 0.8 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0.0 in Wexford to 2.7 in Portadown, the 99 deaths from all causes for that district including 8 from whooping-cough.

The following is a synopsis of the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases* in the eighteen provincial urban districts already named, and Tables II. and V. give in detail the results of the registration for the quarter:—

ENTERIC FEVER.—Of 8 deaths recorded, 3 belonged to Limerick, 2 to Belfast, and one to each of Cork, Lisburn, and Newry.

Typhus.—Included in the 9 deaths are 6 belonging to Londonderry, 2 to Cork, and one to Clonmel.

SMALL-POX.—No death from this disease was recorded.

Measles.—There were 2 deaths for Waterford registered and one for each of Belfast, Cork and Galway.

SCARLET FEVER.—Six deaths were recorded for Belfast and one for each of Londonderry, Dundalk, and Ballymena.

Whooping-cough—Twenty-one deaths were registered and of these 8 belonged to Portadown, 4 to Cork, 2 to each of Belfast and Lurgan, and one to each of Londonderry, Dundalk, Drogheda, Sligo and Kilkenny.

DIPHTHERIA.—Among the 15 deaths are 6 recorded for Belfast, 5 for Cork, 2 for Ballymena, and one for each of Lurgan and Lisburn.

Diarrheal Diseases.—Included in the deaths under this heading are 53 of children under 2 years of age from diarrhea and enteritis. Among them are 34 belonging to Belfast, 4 to Cork, 3 to each of Waterford and Lurgan, and 2 to each of Londonderry, Lisburn and Tralee.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis.—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was $2 \cdot 2$ per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was $2 \cdot 2$ per 1,000; for Belfast county borough $2 \cdot 3$ per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast), it was $2 \cdot 1$ per 1,000. (See Table II.).

^{*} Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whocping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhocal diseases.

TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS Registered during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 28th December, 1918, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), with the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

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Table IV.—Showing, in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups, the Occupation of Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration of Area during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 28th December, 1918; the Annual Death Rate represented by the Deaths Registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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